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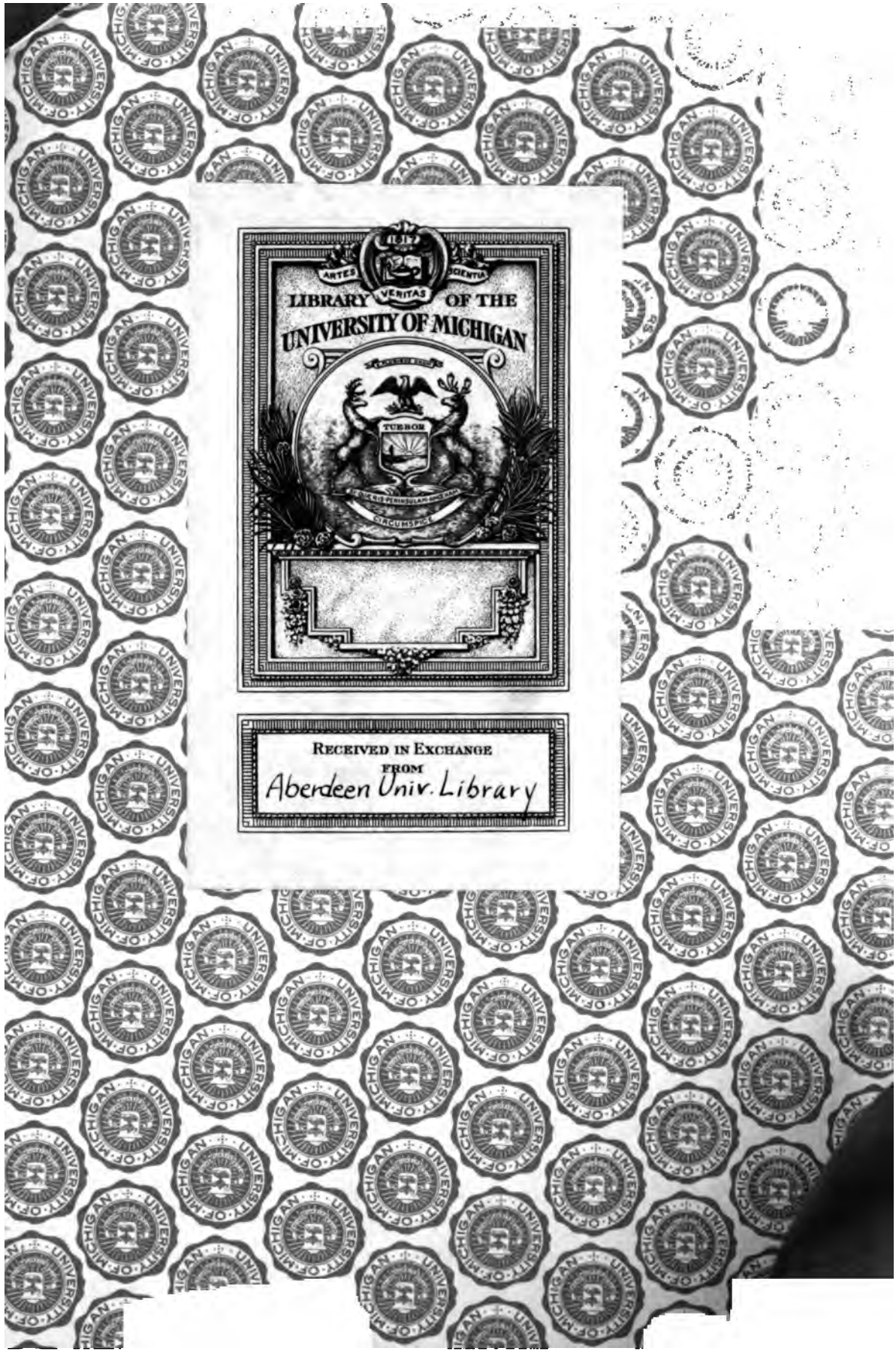
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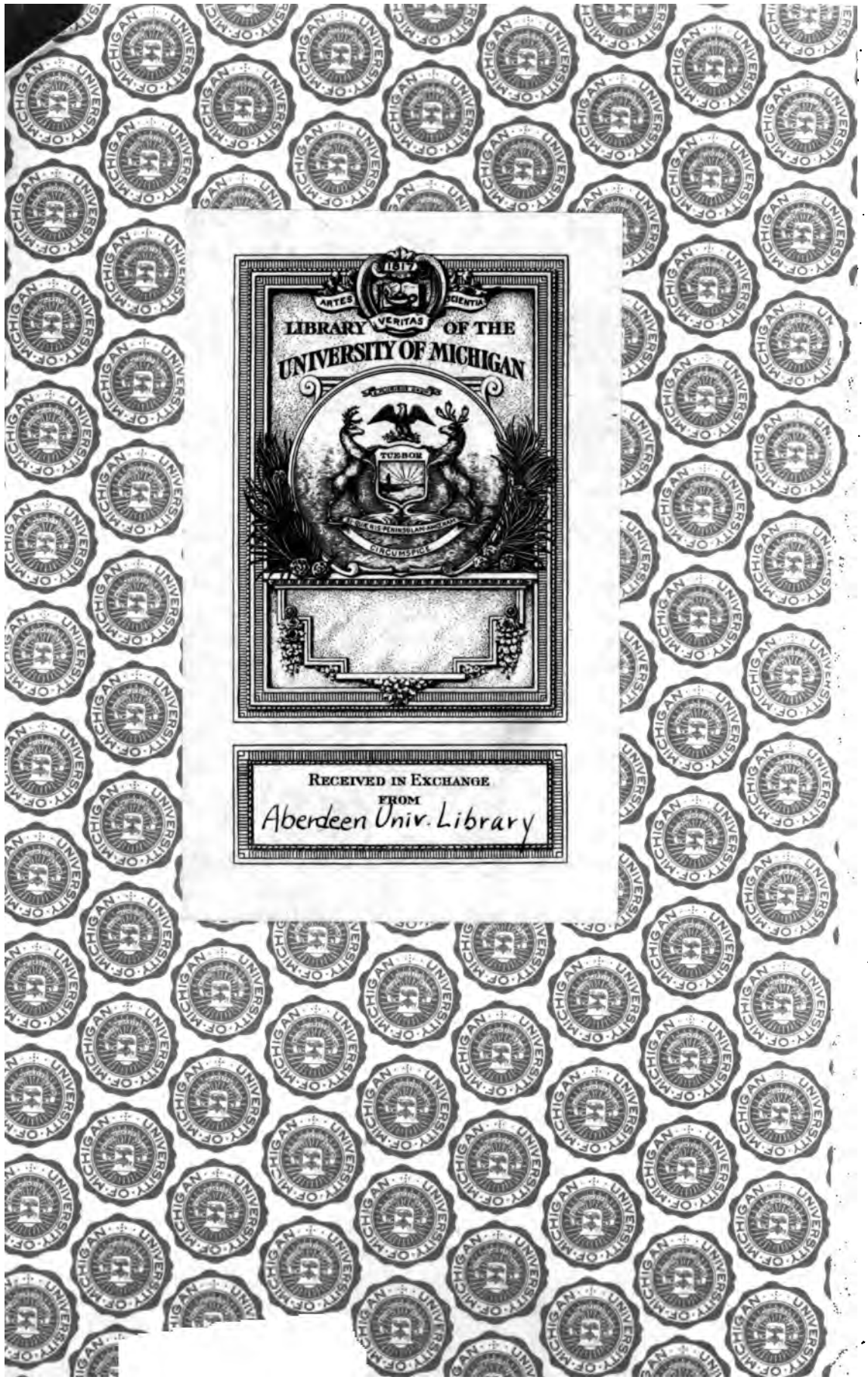
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Those who desire to make a special study of the subject of Fiars may be referred to the historical account by Mr. G. Paterson, Advocate (1852), or to the pamphlet issued in 1879 by Mr. Nenion Elliot, S.S.C., afterwards Clerk of the Teind Court, on the conversion of Grain and Victual Payments in Scotland, as well as to the various reports of committees, appointed from time to time by General Assemblies of the Church of Scotland. There may be those however who, while they do not wish to make a special study of the subject, will nevertheless welcome a few explanatory observations of a general character.

The derivation and meaning of the word which is now spelled "Fiars" is obscure. The earliest spelling found in the Sheriff Court Books of Aberdeenshire is "Feir." That form is found as early as 1558-9, and as late as 1719. In the plural it occurs as "Feiris," "Fearis," "Fears," "Feares," and "Fiars" as at present. The existing form "Fiars" has been the rule for about a couple of centuries. The derivation of the word has given rise to much speculation. The last word that has been written on the subject is to this effect: "The term 'fiar' is identical with the Middle English *feor*, Old French *feur*, a price, being a derivation from Latin *forum* in the sense of a market, and thence a market price."[1]

The origin of the striking or fixing of Fiars by the Sheriffs has never been very satisfactorily cleared up. The purpose however cannot be in doubt. It was to "liquidate the price of victual." This is the term used as well in the records of the early Fiars Courts in Aberdeenshire as in the Act of Sederunt of the Lords of Council and Session, of date 21st December, 1723, with the addition in the latter of the words, "in divers processes that come before them and the subordinate judicatories." But

1 Green's Encyclopædia, Vol. V., p. 324.

at the time Fiars are first heard of, the amount of judicial business in the Sheriff Courts was comparatively small, and no express reference to Sheriffs' Fiars in Aberdeenshire has been found in any of the half-dozen volumes which have been preserved from the 16th century. There have been found in them general references to Fiars and special references to Commissary Court Fiars of an earlier date, as will be afterwards more fully noticed; but none occurs in the Sheriff Court until the Fiars Court held in April, 1604.[1] From a very early period however, probably from the date of the institution of the office in Scotland, it had been the duty of the Sheriff to collect and account to the Exchequer for the Crown rents, duties, and casualties in his Sheriffdom, where such were exigible. These would be payable for the most part in grain or victual, and it must have been necessary to devise a method of ascertaining the equivalent in money, perhaps to simplify the collection, certainly to facilitate the accounting and remittance. The precise method of arriving at the prices, whether as between the tenants and the Sheriff, or between the Sheriff and the Exchequer, or as a convenience for litigants, previous to the beginning of the 17th century, will probably never be got at now. The Fiars' Courts are not the creatures of Parliament, although in the Scotch Acts, 1584, cap. 22, and 1689, cap 24, references are made to Fiars' prices, so no regulations were ever formulated previous to 1723, and it is possible that in different counties different modes of meeting the necessities of the case were devised.

The writer is not aware what records of the old Bishops' Courts, succeeded by the Commissary Courts, still exist in other counties. Unfortunately in Aberdeenshire, where they would have been a mine of wealth to the investigator, the Commissary Records perished by fire in 1721. Had they existed considerable light would probably have been obtained from them, for the Commissary Court, both before and immediately after the Reformation, fixed Fiars for the rents of church lands in Aberdeenshire, which were given effect to in the Sheriff Court of the County. Reference is made to several cases possibly well known to local investigators, but which may be shortly mentioned in this place. In 1558, Alexander Leslie of Wardres claimed, in virtue of a Charter of the

1 This is the earliest Sheriffs' Fiars Court known to the writer. Chalmers in his *Caledonia*, p. 317, places the commencement of Sheriffs' Fiars in 1627; but they were in existence in the County of Fife several years before that date.

Thanedome of Kintore, to exact payment from the occupiers of the Freedom lands of Kintore of certain "Toll Beir." Great litigation arose in consequence; but what is important to note in this place is, that in order to fix the value of the Beir, there was produced "The feir of the consistorie of Auld Abirdene maid upoun the victuallis of the Diocy of Abirdene of the crope the yeir of God ane thousand five hundreth fifty sax yeiris subscriuit with the hand of Martin Howesone scribe of the said consistorie for the tyme." The next cases found are two Decrees of the Sheriff Court, dated 29th November, 1574. Both are at the instance of William, Earl Marischal, as farmer or tacksman, "be titill maid to him be ane nobill and mychtie Lord Robert Comendatour of Deir and conuent of the same." The one case refers to the "Teynd Schaves" of the Parishes of Deir, Petirugy, and Phillortht, and the other to the "Teynd Schaves" of the Parish of Fouerne. Both are directed against the tenants for payment of "The victuallis and teynd siluer." The value of the victual in the first case was liquidated by the "feir of the yeir of God 1573 yeiris undir the subscriptioune of Wm. Ogstoune Noter Scryib substitut of the Commissariat of Abirdene." In the second case the reference is to "the feir of the cropes of the yeiris of God 1571-2-3 yeiris under the subscriptioune of Wm. Ogstoune Noter Scryib deput of the Commissariat of Abirdene." In the following year, 29th and 31st October, 1575, Earl Marischal again sued two actions as farmer of the same teind sheaves, and obtained Decree according to the Feir of the year 1574—the extract from the Commissary Court Books on the second of these occasions bearing the signature of John Chalmer, Commissary Clerk.

In the following two instances it is not stated whether the fiar referred to had been struck in the Commissary or Sheriff Court: but it was given effect to in the latter. On 2nd March, 1573-4, Henrie Duf in Auchincloch obtained Decree against Alexander Many there, for the restoration or value of two drawing oxen spuilzied by the Defender from the Pursuer in August, 1556, "Togidder with sex firlottis meill for the profeittis of ilk ane of the same in wark laubour and hyirgang yeirlie and ilk yeir sen the tyme of the spoliatioune thairof aboue mentionat or than the prices of the said wictuell yeirlie according to the feiris of the yeiris." Again in a case decided on 25th May, 1603, at the instance of Mr. Robert Lumisden of Afflek and John Urquhart, Tutor of Cromarty, his

curator, against Wm. Bruce, sometime in Afflek, then at the Mill of Furvie, the prices of certain victual decerned for was according to the "feirs" of the years 1599 and 1600 respectively. It would appear from these cases that prices were fixed yearly in the County in the second half of the 16th century, and given effect to in the Courts, to the effect of superseding separate evidence of values. This use of them was, however, by no means universal, for we find that an alternative method of ascertaining grain prices in those days was by a separate action of liquidation. Thus, within a few months after the two cases in October, 1574, quoted above, there occurred in March, 1574-5, an action for the liquidation of prices of "four bolls beir with tua pekis to ilk boll," at the instance of James Bannerman, Baxter, Burgess of Abirdene, against Andro Heruy in Kynmuk. Two witnesses were adduced, and decree pronounced in terms of their evidence, and again on 3rd May, 1576, when Mr. Robert Lumisden of Clowayth, holding title to Teind Sheaves, sued William Gib in Meikill Drumquhendill for crops, 1572, 1574 and 1575 the Fiar was not referred to, but a witness was adduced to prove the value. Other cases of the same kind occurred both before and long after the date at which the record of Sheriffs' Fiars Courts are found, but with reference to some of these, it ought to be noted that a protestation had been made by the Pursuer at an earlier stage in the proceedings for the highest prices. To such actions, the Fiars prices, which were average prices, would not apply, so that the occurrence of actions of Liquidation is not conclusive as an argument against the fixing of Fiars prices by the Sheriffs in the 16th century. Looking, however, to the entire absence of any record of or reference to Sheriff Fiars in the County of Aberdeen previous to Crop, 1603, and to the somewhat meagre and embryonic character of the earliest entries, it may be doubted whether Sheriffs' Fiars Courts were held in Aberdeenshire long before the beginning of the 17th century.

It may be interesting in this connection to notice at some length a Decree for payment pronounced at the Head Yule Court, held on 11th January, 1603, by John Gordone of Boigis, Sheriff Depute, for past due rent crop 1602, which was followed up by an action and Decree of Liquidation. The record runs thus :—"The said day in the terme assignit to Alexander Smithe in Ardgathin to gif the declaratour of his aithe in the actioune &

caus of byrwne dewateis perseuit be James Gareoche of Kynstair aganes him Compeirit the said Alexr & grantit & confessit him restand awand to the said James foir his occupatioun of the toune & lands of Smydihill perteining to the said complener lyand within the Serefdom of Abd of the cropt & yeir of God 1602 yeiris, sexteine bollis ferme meill, deduceand thairof ane boll and sex peks meill for comptis & rekiningis restand betwixt thame and sua restis fourteine bollis and ten peks meill quhilk the Seref ordanit him to pay to the persewar within terme of law quha protestit for the hiest prices of the said wictuall and the said Alexr was absoluit be wertew of his aithe fra the custome scheip, half ane dosoun of caponis and sex pultrie libellit quhairon baytht the saids pairteis tuik act of Court & instrument."

On 2nd February following, the action of Liquidation was called before Mr. Richard Irvine of Hilltoune, the conclusion, followed by Decree, being in the following terms: "to heir and sie the hiest prices of fourtein bollis and ten pekis ferme meill of the crop 1602 yeiris obtenit in the buikis of this auditorie upone the alevint day of Januar last be the said James liquidat verifeit & provin and as the same suld happin to be liquidat to heir & sie executorialls direct thairon, and aganis James Forbes in Abd & Alexr Blakhall thair, witnessis admitit quha being suorne deponit & liquidat ilk boll of the said xiiij bolls & ten peks ferme meill to fyve libs usuall monie of this realme To the quhilk the Sreff deput forsaid interponit his auchtoritie and ordanit precepts to be direct heiron & for peyment of xl sh expenssis of pley maid in persute of the said caus. The said defender beand oft tymes callit nocht compeirand lauchfull tyme of day biddin."

The loss of many of the Court Books explains the imperfect record that remains of the Fiars Courts in the 17th century. Diet Books, as distinguished from Books of Interlocutory procedure, Decrees and Judicial Enactments are notably missing, and it was in the former that the proceedings of the Fiars' Courts were engrossed prior to 1705. After that two separate volumes contain the proceedings of every Court down to crop 1900, after which a third was begun. From 1603 to 1650, therefore, only a very few entries survive, gradually increasing in number from that date onwards to the Revolution of 1688, and after that to all intents and purposes complete.

It may quite well be, however, that Fiars were not fixed every year during the first half of the 17th century. The times were troublous in Church and State, and Aberdeen was very specially the shuttlecock of the contending parties for a lengthened period. At a later period indeed the proper time was sometimes missed, and as many as three Courts held in one day to make up for the omissions. It is clear, however, from references to them in Decrees of the Court, that whether prices were struck regularly every year or not, a great many more Fiars' Courts were held than there are now details of.

It has not been found possible to ascertain with any degree of precision how far the Fiars prices, where such were available, were used for determining grain values in cases which came into Court. In the great majority of cases where victual was sued for, the price was stated in the Summons, and, in the absence of challenge, was decerned for. It was the practice of our ancestors when litigating to open their mouths very wide indeed, and it may be stated that the prices claimed and, where there was no opposition, obtained, were as a rule much in excess of the Fiars prices. In a limited number of cases, the prices claimed were said to be conform to the Fiar for the crop and year in question. On the other hand, and also infrequently, and possibly in special circumstances, separate actions were raised for the liquidation of the prices of victual for which Decrees were already held, or witnesses were examined in the original action to determine the prices.

It was not to be expected that much would have been found in the Court Records throwing light upon the more modern use of the Fiars as a basis for settlements between outgoing and incoming tenants or between parish ministers and lairds and nothing of the kind has as yet been discovered.

The first recorded Fiars Court was held on 19th April, 1604. It is entitled " The feirs of cornis and wictuall as the same presentlie gewis and hes gewin in tymes bygane of the Cropt and yeir of God, 1603, yeirs liquidat be the deposicions of the famous witnesses efter specifeit vizt." The names of 14 farmers and burgesses follow, and then the species of victual and prices: but no Sheriff or Jury are mentioned, and the record is unsigned.

This would be what was called the Candlemas Fiar for crop 1603, the Lammas Fiar for the same crop being fixed at a Court held on 1st August, 1604. There was thus a double Fiar for crop 1603, whereas for all the subsequent crops of which we have record, until crop 1681, notice has been found of only one Court, and that one almost invariably at the term of Lammas or in the autumn thereafter. For all the crops from 1691 to 1723 inclusive, there was a Candlemas and Lammas Feir. In many cases, the prices fixed did not greatly differ, but sometimes there was a wide divergence, and the autumn figures were doubtless mainly arrived at, not so much from the plentifulness or otherwise of the crop of the year which the Courts were dealing with, as with the good promise or otherwise of the crop then on the ground. One for instance sees the "dear" or "hungry" years in the end of the 17th century foreshadowed at the Lammas Court of 1695, and the shadow beginning to pass away at the Lammas Court of 1700. As throwing light upon this part of the subject, and as an illustration, there will be found in the Appendix a print of the proceeding of a Baillie Court in Aberdeen, held on 19th August, 1598, where prices were fixed for meal and beir for two separate periods of the year preceding.

The first verdict of a Jury which we find recorded, was on 31st July, 1632, and it was signed by both the Chancellor and the Sheriff. A verdict was seldom omitted after this period, and specimens of these, where they vary, are given in the Appendix.

The number of Jurors, once in early days as low as six, was gradually increased, until, as a rule, there were never less than fifteen, at which it now stands; but there were frequently more, as many as twenty-one being found in one Sederunt, and seventeen being quite common.

The commodities or species of grain or victual dealt with in the Fiars Courts have varied, but not greatly. Oats was, of course, an important feature, and of it there have always been at least two kinds or qualities in evidence, and for the greater part of the three centuries three species, viz.: great oats or white oats, blaudit oats (at a later period styled "brockit,") and small oats. The present system of dividing oats into first (somtimes called potato oats) and second quality, was adopted in 1813 for Crop 1812.

What the distinction, as regards quality, was between Bear, Ferme bear and Mercat bear it is not at this distance of time possible to ascertain. Ferme bear would be that which was prestable for payment of the rent, and which would as a general rule fall to be delivered at the laird's house. Mercat bear would be the same commodity prepared for, transported to and sold in the market. In some early instances the prices of these two seem to have differed, the latter being rather higher in price than the former; but (as in the case of meal and malt) the difference in price soon disappeared and the distinction was no longer made. The writer has not succeeded in discovering why Bear without fodder should have been differentiated from Ferme bear.

Among the species for crop 1655 a new Bear was introduced, and one unquestionably inferior to the others. It was called Wair or Ware bear and a price was struck for it until 1808. By this term was denoted bear grown on ground manured with sea weed, and the fact that a fiar was struck for it proves how general the practice must have been on the coastside of this County.

For crop 1845 and subsequent crops, until its disappearance from the list, Bear was divided into 1st and 2nd quality.

Wheat, after holding a place in the list under various designations from 1603, was only once or twice in evidence during the last twenty years of the 19th century. Red Wheat appears in crop 1857 and for a few years afterwards.

Rye stood in the list for two centuries, disappearing (there having been no evidence for several years previously) in 1810.

Malt was a constant commodity until the crop of 1879, since which no evidence has been tendered.

Pease, which were quoted in the earliest records, and Beans, which were first dealt with in 1652, and then not until 1828, appear to have died out as appreciable crops in the County of Aberdeen.

Barley, which was first introduced into the list with great hesitation by the Jury in 1811 for crop 1810, and of which two qualities were first struck for crop 1879, has now, after 90 years, ousted its older rival Bear.

Oatmeal always occupied and still occupies a leading place among the species of victual submitted to the Assize summoned to settle the Fiars.

The same remark applies to Fodder or Straw, which is a most important item in the prosperity of a cattle breeding and cattle feeding County, but which in many published lists of Fiars prices has been ignored. Before the introduction of Turnips as a field crop, in the latter part of the 18th century, straw must have been, if anything, even more important.

From 1604 to 1778 when Sterling money was introduced the prices in the tables were in Scots money, and for the most part in pounds, shillings, and pence. In the earlier half of the 17th century some of the prices are set down in merks as well.

To convert the Scots into Sterling money has been considered to be beyond the scope of this work. For those who wish to convert the prices into the present day money, it may be mentioned that £1 Scots = 1/8d. or 1/12th of £1 Sterling, and that a merk Scots was 13/4d. = 2/3rds of £1 Scots.

It will be readily seen from the List of Jurors, which is appended, that before 1723, those who were cited and served, were for the most part specialists, *i.e.*, of the class who in recent years are called as witnesses. In the earliest specimens, indeed, those who were then the Jury in embryo, are styled "famous witnesses." It cannot be in doubt, therefore, that in those days the results arrived at were entirely from the proper knowledge of the Jury, although in the earlier verdicts nothing of the kind is stated. After the Act of Sederunt of 1723, heritors and factors had to predominate in the Jury; but even then the element of traders and farmers with very special knowledge was retained, obviously in the double capacity of witnesses and jurors, and the verdicts expressly bear that the knowledge upon which the prices were arrived at, was found inside the Jury.

Whether witnesses outside the Jury were examined, in terms of the Act of Sederunt, previous to 1811 or not, does not appear, but in settling the prices for crop 1810, the Jury for the first time recorded the fact that their verdict was based upon the testimony of witnesses as well as on their own proper knowledge.

It only remains to say in this connection that the evidence was recorded *ad longum* during the sitting of the Court in 1818 and thereafter, but it was engrossed in the Diet Book on that single occasion only,

at all other times it was written out separately. The sittings of the Court were accordingly very prolonged, previous to the introduction, in 1879, of the present system of having the testimony, which was to be sworn to in Court, embodied in printed schedules before the sitting.

Readers who are interested in instituting comparisons between the economic conditions under which our forefathers lived (or as some may say, contrived to exist), and those which prevail in our own time, will find in the subjoined records very ample material. One is every now and then reminded in glancing over them of the years of plenty, followed by the years of famine, which compelled the patriarchs of old to have recourse to the stores accumulated in the fertile valley of the Nile. Nor would it be a task of insurmountable difficulty to an ingenious and painstaking meteorological expert to construct from these tables a weather chart which would be approximately accurate.

These figures too afford confirmation of what is found recorded by the Chroniclers. Thus we find Sir James Balfour in his Annals, and Lamont in his Diary, referring to the years 1649 and following years as years of high prices, caused partly by unfavourable weather and partly by the quartering on the country of Cromwell's troops. The Aberdeenshire figures bear out these statements, and further corroborate them as regards the fall of prices a few years later, when the seasons were favourable, and the country at rest for the time. The time of famine in the end of the 17th century, already alluded to, was probably the most severe and prolonged of which we have particular knowledge, and a comparison of the prices of crops of 1678, 1679 and 1680, when Meal was at £2 13s. 4d. per boll, with those of crops 1695, 6, 7, 8 and 9, when the prices of the same articles at Lammas were respectively £8, £8, £8, £13 6s. 8d. and £8, will help the reader to realize what the sufferings of the people, then entirely dependent upon the local food supply, must have been.

An outstanding feature of crop 1696 was that the price of all kinds of grain with and without fodder was the same, the inference being either that there was no straw or that what there was had no value whatever.

The extraordinary fluctuations in prices of which frequent instances may be found in the tables, have of late years disappeared, to be succeeded by a comparatively dead level, the result no doubt partly of the free

import of all kinds of grain and fodder, and also of the remarkable increase of the facilities for cheap and rapid over-sea carriage.

Closely related to the subject of Fiars prices is that of Weights and Measures, and it will be seen from the subjoined tables that great confusion existed between 1807 and 1825, caused by the partial introduction of the Linlithgow measure. And not only so, but different local standards of weight and measure obtained for different commodities, *e. g.* the Aberdeenshire Firlot for Pease and Beans contained 26 fills of an Aberdeen Pint Jug, whereas there were 34 fills of the same measure in a Firlot of Oats, Barley and Bear. Further, while Butcher meat was sold by the pound of 17½ ounces avoirdupois, the pound for butter, cheese and wool was of 28 ounces avoirdupois. Similar perplexity doubtless obtained all over the kingdom and a remedy had to be sought for. Accordingly the Act 5 Geo. IV. cap 74 entitled "An Act for ascertaining and establishing uniformity of Weights and Measures," by sec. 18 imposed upon the Sheriffs in Scotland the duty of enquiry. The tribunal before whom the enquiry was to be conducted was a Fiars Jury, who were to ascertain the amounts, according to the standards established by the Act, of all stipends, etc., payable in grain and similar commodities, according to the weights and measures previously in use in their particular county. It was further provided that the result of the enquiry should be reported to Exchequer by the Sheriff Clerk, after which the amounts so ascertained, when converted to the standard measures, were to be the rule of payment. The proceedings of the Aberdeenshire Jury, which sat on 30th December, 1825, are recorded in the Fiars Court Diet Book before the sitting of the Court which fixed the prices for crop 1825, and the result of their findings will be found in the *addenda* made to the verdicts of 15th March, 1826, and 22nd March, 1827 *(infra)*.

It may be explained that besides alterations from time to time in the species of victual dealt with by the Courts, there occur in the original records frequent changes in the order and sequence of these on the lists. This added very materially to the difficulties of tabulating the figures as now laid before the reader, in overcoming which the writer had the benefit of the great experience, ungrudgingly placed at his disposal, of Mr. P. J. Anderson, the Secretary of the Club, which he desires here to

gratefully acknowledge. The task of collating the figures was for the same reason rendered a more anxious and difficult one.

A farther word of explanation may be added with regard to the list of those who as Fiars jurors have taken a share in this important department of the business of the county. When one date occurs after a name, it denotes that the bearer of the name served in that one year. Two dates denotes the first and last dates of service where there was more than one. When the name of an individual has been found ten times or upwards, the number of services is given. Those who have from time to time been chosen Chancellors of the Jury are distinguished by having their names printed in larger type.

The names of Jurors as originally copied out by the writer from the Diet Books considerably exceeded 4000. By the method adopted these have been reduced to little more than one fourth of that number, but it may still have happened that, owing to different spellings or designations, the names of the same persons are entered more than once.

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FIARS PRICES OF ABERDEENSHIRE

xix of Apryle 1604

The feirs of cornis and wictuall as the same presentlie gewis and hes gewin in tymes bygane of the cropt & yeir of God 1603 yeirs liquidat be the deposicions of the famous witnesess efter specifeit vizt

Price of the boll small aitts with the fodder - - - -	xxxiii sh iiii d
without the fodder - - - -	xxx sh
Price of the boll blaudit aitts with the fodder - - - -	xliii sh 4 d
without the fodder - - - -	xl sh
Price of the boll gryt aitts with the fodder - - - -	iii lib xl d
without the fodder - - - -	iii lib
Price of the boll beir with the fodder - - - - -	iiii lib
without the fodder - - - - -	v mks x sh
Price of the boll ferme beir - - - - - - -	v mks
Price of the boll mercat beir - - - - - - -	iiii lib
Price of the boll ferme malt - - - - - - -	iiii lib
Price of the boll mercat malt - - - - - - -	iiii lib x sh
Price of the boll ferme meill - - - - - - -	liii sh iiii d
Price of the boll mercat meill - - - - - - -	iiii mks xl d
Price of the boll ferme quhyt - - - - - - -	v lib
Price of the boll mercat quhyit - - - - - -	viii mks
Price of the boll ferme rye - - - - - - -	liii sh iiii d
Price of the boll mercat ry - - - - - - -	iiii mks xl d
Price of the boll ferme pess - - - - - - -	iiii lib
Price of the boll mercat pess - - - - - - -	iiii lib v sh

Primo Augusti 1604

The feiris of cornis and wictuall as the same presentlie gewis and hes gewin of the cropt 1603 liquidat be the deposicions of the famous witnesses efter specifeit vizt

Price of the boll small aitts with the fodder	ii mks
without the fodder	xxv sh
Price of the boll blaudit aitts with the fodder	xxx sh
without the fodder	xxviii sh 4 d
Price of the boll gryt aitts with the fodder	liii sh 4 d
without the fodder	li sh 8 d
Pryce of the boll beir with the fodder	v mks
without the fodder	iiii mks xi sh 8 d
Price of the boll ferme beir	v mks
Price of the boll mercat beir	iiii lib
Price of the boll of ferme malt	iiii lib
Price of the boll mercat malt	vi mks vi sh 8 d
Price of the boll ferme meill	l sh
Price of the boll mercat meill	lvi sh 8 d
Price of the boll ferme quhyt	vii mks
Price of the boll mercat quhyt	v lib
Price of the boll ferme ry	liii sh iiii d
Mercat ry	iiii mks xl d
Price of the boll ferm pess	iiii lib
Price of the boll of mercat pess	iiii lib 5 sh

Decimo Octavo Augusti 1619 in presens of John Gordoune of Lyttill Gowill

Pryce of the boll small aittis with the fodder	40 sh
without the fodder	Threttie sex sh viii d
Pryce of the boll blaudit cornis with the fodder	four merks
without the fodder	feftie sh
Pryce of the boll gryt aittis with the fodder	fywe [? mks] sex sh viii d
without the fodder	fywe merks
Pryce of the boll beir with the fodder	fywe punds
without the fodder	four punds sex sh viii d

Pryce of the boll ferme beir	four punds sex sh viii d
Pryce of the boll mercat beir	aucht merks
Pryce of the boll ferme malt	fywe punds
Pryce of the boll mercat malt	aucht merks sex sh viii d
Pryce of the boll ferme meill	fywe merks
Pryce of the boll of mercat meill	four punds
Pryce of the boll ferme quhyt	aucht punds
Price of the boll mercat quhyt	nyne punds
Pryce of the boll ferme ry	fywe merks
Pryce of the boll mercat ry	fywe merks sex sh viii d
Pryce of the boll ferme peis	fywe punds
Pryce of boll mercat peis	fywe punds sex sh viii d
Pryce of the boll quhyt meill	fywe punds

Vigesimo nono July 1620 In presens of Jon Gordoun and Mr Wm Paip

Pryce of the boll small aittis with the fodder	threttie thrie sh 4 d
without the fodder	threttie sh
Pryce of the boll blaudit cornis with the fodder	fourtie sh
without the fodder	threttie thrie sh 4 d
Pryce of the boll gryt aittis with the fodder	thrie punds
without the fodder	four merks
Pryce of the boll beir with the fodder	four punds
without the fodder	fywe merks sex sh viii d
Pryce of the boll ferme beir	fywe merks
Pryce of the boll mercat beir	fywe merks
Pryce of the boll ferme malt	four punds
Pryce of the boll mercat malt	four pounds sex sh viii d
Pryce of the boll ferme meill	feftie sh
Pryce of the boll mercat meill	thrie punds
Pryce of the boll ferme quhyt	fywe punds
Pryce of the boll mercat quhyt	aucht merks
Pryce of the boll ferme ry	feftie sh
Pryce of the boll mercat ry	four merks
Pryce of the boll ferme peiss	fywe merks
Pryce of the boll mercat peiss	four punds
Pryce of the boll quhyt meill	fywe merks

Year of Crop. Date of Court.	1628 31 July, 1629.				1629 31 July, 1630.				1630 30 July, 1631.				1631 31 July, 1632.			
	£	m.	s.	d.	£	m.	s.	d.	£	m.	s.	d.	£	m.	s.	d.
Gryt aittis with fodder	-	10	-	-	6	-	-	-	-	5	6	8	3	-	6	8
Do. without	6	-	6	8	5	-	-	-	-	5	3	4	3	-	-	-
Blaudit aittis with fodder	4	-	6	8	-	7	-	-	2	-	10	-	2	-	2	8
Do. without	4	-	-	-	-	5	6	8	2	-	6	8	1	-	16	8
Small aittis with fodder	3	-	-	-	4	-	-	-	2	-	6	8	1	-	16	-
Do. without	-	4	-	-	3	-	-	-	2	-	-	-	1	-	10	-
Bear with fodder	8	-	-	-	-	11	6	8	-	8	-	-	4	-	6	8
Do. without	7	-	13	4	-	10	-	-	-	7	10	-	4	-	-	-
Ferme bear	7	-	10	-	6	-	-	-	4	-	-	-	4	-	-	-
Mercat bear	7	-	-	-	6	-	-	-	-	7	-	-	4	-	-	-
Quhyt meill	8	-	-	-	-	10	-	-	-	8	-	-	4	-	-	-
Ferme meill	6	-	13	4	-	8	-	-	4	-	-	-	3	-	-	-
Mercat meill	-	10	-	-	-	8	-	-	4	-	6	8	3	-	-	-
Ferme malt	7	-	13	4	-	10	-	-	6	-	-	-	4	-	6	8
Mercat malt	8	-	-	-	-	10	-	-	6	-	6	8	4	-	6	8
Ferme quhyt	9	-	-	-	8	-	-	-	-	10	-	-	6	-	13	4
Mercat quhyt	9	-	-	-	8	-	-	-	-	10	6	8	6	-	13	4
Ferme rye	-	10	-	-	-	8	-	-	4	-	-	-	3	-	-	-
Mercat rye	-	10	-	-	-	8	-	-	4	-	6	8	3	-	-	-
Ferme peiss	9	-	-	-	6	-	-	-	-	8	-	-	6	-	13	4
Mercat peiss	9	-	-	-	6	-	-	-	-	8	6	8	6	-	13	4

Year of Crop. Date of Court.	1655 1 Aug. 1656.			1656 25 Feb. 1657.			1657 3 Feb. 1658.			1665 15 Aug. 1666.			1666 2 Aug. 1667.			1667 7 Oct. 1668.		
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Whyt aits with fodder	4	13	4	4	-	-	4	3	4	4	-	-	5	6	8	5	13	4
Do. without	4	3	4	3	13	4	3	13	4	3	13	4	4	-	-	5	-	-
Brockit aits with fodder	3	3	4	2	13	4	3	6	8	3	-	-	4	-	-	4	-	-
Do. without	3	-	-	2	6	8	2	16	8	2	13	4	3	-	-	3	6	8
Small aits with fodder	2	-	-	2	-	-	2	-	-	2	-	-	2	13	4	2	13	4
Do. without	1	16	8	1	16	-	1	16	-	1	13	4	2	-	-	2	-	-
Bear with fodder	5	6	8	4	6	8	5	-	-	4	6	8	5	13	4	6	-	-
Do. without	5	-	-	4	-	-	4	6	8	4	-	-	4	6	8	5	6	8
Wair bear with fodder	3	13	4	3	-	-	3	6	8	3	6	8	4	-	-	4	-	-
Do. without	3	6	8	2	13	4	2	13	4	3	-	-	3	-	-	3	-	-
Ferme bear	4	13	4	4	-	-	4	6	8	4	-	-	4	6	8	5	6	8
Mercat bear	5	-	-															
Whyt meill	4	13	4	4	-	-	4	6	8	4	-	-	5	-	-	5	6	8
Ferme meill	3	13	4	3	-	-	3	6	8	3	-	-	4	-	-	4	6	8
Mercat meill	4	-	-	3	-	-	3	6	8	3	-	-	4	-	-	4	6	8
Ferme or mercat malt	5	-	-	4	-	-	4	13	4	4	-	-	4	6	8	5	6	8
Whyt	7	-	-	5	6	8	7	-	-	6	-	-	6	-	-	6	-	-
Rye	4	3	4	3	-	-	3	6	8	3	6	8	4	-	-	4	-	-
Pease	5	-	-	4	-	-	4	3	4	4	-	-	5	6	8	5	6	8

1632 31 July, 1633.				1649 31 July, 1650.				1650 30 July, 1651.			1651 31 July, 1652.			1652 End of July, 1653.			
£	m.	s.	d.	£	m.	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	
-	7	-	-	8	-	-	-	7	-	-	6	13	4	7	6	8	
4	-	10	-	7	-	-	-	6	6	8	6	-	-	6	13	4	
3	-	6	8	6	-	-	-	5	-	-	4	13	4	5	-	-*	
3	-	-	-	5	-	-	-	4	6	8	4	3	4	4	13	4	
2	-	13	4	4	-	-	-	3	6	8	3	3	4	3	13	4	
2	-	10	-	-	5	-	-	2	16	8	2	13	4	3	6	8	
-	10	-	-	9	-	-	-	8	6	8	8	6	8	8	-	-	
6	-	10	-	8	-	-	-	8	-	-	7	13	4	7	6	8	
6	-	10	-	7	-	-	-	7	13	4	7	13	4	7	6	8	
6	-	10	-	8	-	-	-	7	13	4	7	13	4	-	-	-	
-	10	-	-	8	-	-	-	8	-	-	8	-	-	7	-	-	
5	-	-	-	-	10	-	-	6	13	4	6	-	-	6	-	-	
5	-	-	-	7	-	-	-	6	13	4	6	-	-	6	6	8	
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9	-	-	-	11	-	-	-	12	-	-	11	-	-	} 12	-	-	
9	-	-	-	11	-	-	-	12	-	-	11	-	-				
4	-	-	-	-	10	-	-	6	13	4	6	-	-	} 6	-	-	
4	-	-	-	-	10	-	-	6	13	4	6	-	-				
-	8	-	-	8	-	-	-	7	13	4	7	13	4	} 10	13	4	
-	8	-	-	8	-	-	-	7	13	4	7	13	4				

	1652. £	s.	d.
Beins	10	13	4

* The word "brokit" or "brockit" begins here to be substituted for "blaudit."

1668 30 July, 1669.			1669 26 Aug. 1670.			1670 18 Aug. 1671.			1676 10 Oct. 1677.			1677 23 Aug. 1678.			1678 25 Aug. 1679.			
£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	
4	-	-	4	6	8	5	6	8	4	-	-	4	-	-	3	13	4	
3	6	8	3	13	4	4	6	8	3	13	4	3	10	-	3	-	-	
2	13	4	2	13	4	3	13	4	3	-	-	2	16	-	2	-	-	
2	6	8	2	-	-	3	-	-	2	13	4	2	10	-	1	16	-	
2	-	-	2	-	-	2	13	4	1	16	8	1	16	8	1	10	-	
1	16	-	1	13	4	2	-	-	1	13	4	1	10	-	1	6	8	
5	-	-	5	-	-	5	13	4	4	10	-	4	6	8	4	-	-	
4	13	4	4	3	4	5	-	-	4	3	4	4	-	-	3	10	-	
3	-	-	3	13	4	4	3	4	3	6	8	3	3	-	3	5	-	
2	13	4	3	6	8	3	13	4	3	-	-	2	16	-	2	13	4	
4		-	4	3	4	5	-	-	3	16	8	3	16	-	3	10	-	Ferme or marcat bear
4	-	-	4	3	4	5	-	-	4	3	8	3	16	8	3	10	-	
3	-	-	3	6	8	} 4	3	4	3	6	8	3	-	-	2	13	4	Ferme or marcat meal
4	-	-	4	-	-													
4	-	-	4	3	4	5	-	-	3	16	8	3	6	8	3	10	-	
6	-	-	6	-	-	7	-	-	6	-	-	5	6	8	7	-	-	
4	-	-	3	6	8	4	3	4	3	10	-	3	6	8	3	-	-	
5	-	-	4	13	4	5	-	-	5	-	-	4	10	-	4	-	-	

Year of Crop. Date of Court.	1679 3 Aug., 1680.			1680 3 Mar. 1681.			1681 18 Feb. 1682.			1681 15 Sep. 1682.			1682 Aug. 1682.			1690 25 Feb. 1691.		
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Great * oats with fodder	3	13	4	3	6	8	4	3	4	5	-	-	4	3	4	6	13	4
Do. without	3	6	8	3	-	-	3	13	4	3	13	4	4	-	-	6	-	-
Brockit oats with fodder	2	13	4	2	6	8	3	6	8	3	6	8	3	-	-	5	6	8
Do. without	2	6	8	2	-	-	3	-	-	3	-	-	2	16	8	4	13	4
Small oats with fodder	1	10	-	1	10	-	2	-	-	2	3	4	2	-	-	3	13	4
Do. without	1	6	8	1	6	8	1	16	-	1	16	-	1	13	4	3	-	-
Bear with fodder	4	-	-	3	13	4	4	6	8	5	-	-	6	-	-	6	13	4
Do. without	3	13	4	3	6	8	4	-	-	3	13	4	5	6	8	6	-	-
Wair bear with fodder	3	-	-	2	13	4	3	-	-	3	13	4	4	13	4	5	-	-
Do. without	2	13	4	2	6	8	2	13	4	3	-	-	4	-	-	4	10	-
Ferme or marcat bear	3	13	4	3	6	8	4	-	-	4	-	-	5	6	8	6	-	-
White Meal	4	-	-	3	6	8	4	3	4	4	-	-	5	-	-	6	6	8
Ferme or marcat meal	2	13	4	2	13	4	3	10	-	3	10	0	4	-	-	5	6	8
Ferme or marcat malt	3	13	4	3	6	8	4	-	-	4	-	-	4	-	-	6	-	-
Wheat	8	-	-	6	13	4	6	13	4	6	-	-	6	-	-	9	6	8
Rye	3	6	8	3	-	-	3	6	8	3	6	8	3	6	8	5	-	-
Pease	4	-	-	4	-	-	4	6	8	4	6	8	4	6	8	8	-	-

Year of Crop. Date of Court.	1695 10 Mar. 1696.			1695 14 Aug. 1696.			1696 10 Mar. 1697.			1696 27 Aug. 1697.			1697 23 Feb. 1698.			1697 10 Aug. 1698.		
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Great Oats with fodder	6	13	4	10	-	-	8	-	-	8	-	-	8	-	-	9	-	-
Do. without	6	-	-	9	6	8	8	-	-	8	-	-	7	-	-	8	-	-
Brocked oats with fodder	5	-	-	7	-	-	5	6	8	5	6	8	6	-	-	7	-	-
Do. without	4	10	-	6	6	8	5	6	8	5	6	8	5	-	-	6	-	-
Small oats with fodder	3	6	8	4	3	4	3	-	-	3	-	-	3	6	8	3	6	8
Do. without	2	13	4	4	-	-	3	-	-	3	-	-	2	13	4	2	13	4
Bear with fodder	7	6	8	10	-	-	8	13	4	8	13	4	10	-	-	11	-	-
Do. without	6	13	4	9	6	8	8	13	4	8	13	4	9	-	-	10	-	-
Wair bear with fodder	6	-	-	8	-	-	7	-	-	7	-	-	7	6	8	7	6	8
Do. without	5	6	8	7	6	8	7	-	-	7	-	-	6	13	4	6	13	4
Ferme or marcat bear	6	13	4	9	6	8	8	13	4	8	13	4	9	-	-	10	-	-
White meal	6	13	4	10	-	-	8	-	-	8	13	4	8	-	-	9	-	-
Ferme or marcat meal	5	6	8	8	-	-	6	-	-	8	-	-	6	13	4	8	-	-
Ferme or marcat malt	6	13	4	9	6	8	8	13	4	8	-	-	9	-	-	10	-	-
Wheat	10	13	4	13	6	8	9	6	8	12	-	-	12	-	-	14	-	-
Rye	5	6	8	8	-	-	6	-	-	7	-	-	8	-	-	8	-	-
Pease	8	-	-	10	-	-	9	-	-	9	-	-	9	-	-	10	-	-

* Designated here and at some subsequent Courts "whyt" oats.

1690 11 Aug. 1691.			1691 May, 1692.			1691 15 Feb. 1693.			1692 15 Feb. 1693.			1692 3 Oct. 1694.			1693 3 Oct. 1694.			1693 3 Oct. 1694.			1694 4 Oct. 1695.			1694 4 Oct. 1695.		
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2	13	4	2	-	-	2	-	-	2	-	-	2	-	-	2	-	-	2	-	-	2	-	-	2	-	-
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5	-	-	4	3	4	4	3	4	4	-	-	4	-	-	4	-	-	4	-	-	4	13	4	5	-	-
5	6	8	4	3	4	4	3	4	4	6	8	4	6	8	4	13	4	4	13	4	5	6	8	5	6	8
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1698 17 Feb. 1699.			1698 18 Aug. 1699.			1699 13 Mar. 1700.			1699 Aug. 1700.			1700 14 Mar. 1701.			1700 20 Feb. 1702.			1701 20 Feb. 1702.			1701 24 Feb. 1703.			1702 24 Feb. 1703.		
£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
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10	-	-	10	-	-	8	-	-	8	-	-	6	10	-	5	6	8	5	-	-	5	-	-	4	6	8
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11	6	8	13	-	-	9	6	8	9	13	4	6	13	4	5	13	4	4	13	4	4	13	4	4	6	8
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Year of Crop. Date of Court.	1702 18 Aug. 1704.			1703 18 Aug. 1704.			1703 18 Aug. 1704.			1704 14 Mar. 1705.			1704 20 Feb. 1706.			1705 20 Feb. 1706.		
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Great oats with fodder	4	13	4	4	13	4	5	6	8	5	-	-	4	13	4	5	-	-
Do. without	4	-	-	4	-	-	5	-	-	4	13	4	4	-	-	4	3	4
Brocket oats with fodder	3	-	-	3	-	-	4	6	8	3	13	4	3	6	8	3	6	8
Do. without	3	-	-	3	-	-	4	-	-	3	6	8	3	-	-	3	-	-
Small oats with fodder	2	-	-	2	-	-	2	6	8	2	-	-	2	6	8	2	-	-
Do. without	2	-	-	2	-	-	2	6	8	2	-	-	2	-	-	1	13	4
Bear with fodder	4	13	4	4	13	4	5	13	4	5	6	8	5	-	-	5	6	8
Do. without	4	6	8	4	6	8	5	6	8	4	13	4	4	13	4	4	13	4
Ware bear with fodder	3	13	4	3	13	4	4	3	4	3	13	4	3	16	8	3	6	8
Do. without	3	6	8	3	6	8	4	-	-	3	-	-	3	-	-	3	-	-
Farm or mercat bear	4	6	8	4	6	8	5	6	8	4	13	4	4	13	4	4	6	8
White meal	4	6	8	4	6	8	5	6	8	4	13	4	4	13	4	4	6	8
Ferme or mercat meal	3	13	4	3	13	4	4	13	4	4	-	-	4	-	-	3	10	-
Ferm or mercat malt	3	13	4	3	13	4	4	13	4	4	-	-	4	-	-	4	-	-
Wheat	7	10	-	7	10	-	8	-	-	8	-	-	7	-	-	6	-	-
Rye	4	-	-	4	-	-	4	13	4	4	-	-	3	6	8	3	-	-
Pease	4	13	4	4	13	4	5	6	8	5	-	-	5	6	8	4	13	4

Year of Crop. Date of Court.	1710 21 Mar. 1711.			1710 9 Jan. 1712.			1711 8 Feb. 1712.			1711 19 Sep. 1712.			1712 20 Feb. 1713.			1712 12 Feb. 1714.		
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Great oats with fodder	6		-	4	13	4	4	16	8	4	6	8	4	6	8	4	13	4
Do. without	5	6	8	4	13	4	4	6	8	3	13	4	3	13	4	4	6	8
Brocked oats with fodder	4	13	4	3	13	4	3	13	4	3		-	3	6	8	3	13	4
Do. without	4	3	4	3	13	4	3	-	-	2	13	4	3	-	-	3	6	8
Small oats with fodder	2	13	4	2	-	-	2	-	-	2	-	-	2	-	-	2	3	4
Do. without	2	13	4	2	-	-	1	16	0	2	-	-	2	-	-	2	3	4
Bear with fodder	6	13	4	5	6	8	5	-	-	5	-	-	5	-	-	5	13	4
Do. without	6	-	-	5	-	-	4	6	8	4	13	4	4	-	-	5	6	8
Wair bear with fodder	4	13	4	3	13	4	3	13	4	2	13	4	2	13	4	3	6	8
Do. without	4	-	-	3	13	4	2	16	8	2	13	4	2	13	4	3	6	8
Ferm or mercat bear	5	-	-	5	-	-	4	6	8	4	13	4	4	-	-	5	6	8
Whyte meal	5	13	4	4	13	4	4	-	-	4	3	4	4	-	-	4	6	8
Ferm or mercat meall	5	-	-	4	3	4	3	6	8	3	-	-	3	-	-	3	6	8
Ferm or mercat malt	5	-	-	4	13	4	4	-	-	3	13	4	3	6	8	4	13	4
Wheat	9	-	-	8	-	-	7	-	-	6	13	4	7	-	-	7	6	8
Rye	5	-	-	4	3	4	3	13	4	3	-	-	3	6	8	3	6	8
Pease	5	13	4	5	6	8	5	-	-	4	13	4	4	-	-	4	6	8

1705 20 Sep. 1706.			1706 26 Mar. 1707.			1706 16 Apr. 1708.			1707 16 Apr. 1708.			1707 25 Feb. 1709.			1708 25 Feb. 1709.			1708 5 Aug. 1709.			1709 3 Mar. 1710.			1709 10 Nov. 1710.		
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5	6	8	5	-	-	5	6	8	6	-	-	6	-	-	8	-	-	8	-	-	12	-	-	14	-	-
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1713 12 Feb. 1714.			1713 3 Dec. 1714.			1714 18 Mar. 1715.			1714 5 Oct. 1716.			1715 5 Oct. 1716.			1715 5 Oct. 1716.			1716 22 Feb. 1717.			1716 4 Oct. 1717.			1717 19 Mar. 1718.		
£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
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Year of Crop. Date of Court.	1717 13 Feb. 1719.			1718 13 Feb. 1719			1718 2 Oct. 1719.			1719 12 Feb. 1720.			1719 3 Mar. 1721.			1720 3 Mar. 1721.		
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Great oats with fodder	5	6	8	4	13	4	4	13	4	6	13	4	6	-	-	4	13	4
Do. without	4	13	4	4	13	4	4	13	4	5	-	-	5	6	8	4	-	-
Brocked oats with fodder	4	13	4	4	-	-	4	-	-	5	6	8	4	13	4	4	-	-
Do. without	4	-	-	3	13	4	3	13	4	3	13	4	4	-	-	3	6	8
Small oats with fodder	2	13	4	2	13	4	2	13	4	3	-	-	2	13	4	2	13	4
Do. without	2	13	4	2	-	-	2	-	-	2	-	-	2	-	-	1	16	8
Bear with fodder	6	-	-	5	13	4	6	-	-	7	6	8	6	13	4	5	6	8
Do. without	5	13	4	5	-	-	5	13	4	5	13	4	6	-	-	4	13	4
Wair bear with fodder	4	-	-	4	6	8	4	13	4	6	-	-	5	6	8	4	10	-
Do. without	4	-		4	-	-	4	6	8	4	13	4	5	-	-	4	-	-
Ferm or mercat bear	5	-	-	5	-	-	5	13	4	5	13	4	6	-	-	4	13	4
White meal	5	-	-	4	13	4	5	-	-	5	-	-	5	6	8	4	6	8
Ferm meal	4	3	4	4	3	4	4	6	8	4	6	8	4	13	4	3	10	-
Ferm or mercat malt	4	13	4	4	6	8	4	13	4	4	13	4	4	13	4	4	-	-
Wheat	7	-	-	6	-	-	6	-	-	6	13	4	6	-	-	5	6	8
Rye	4	3	4	4	-	-	4	-	-	4	6	8	4	13	4	3	10	-
Pease	5	6	8	5	6	8	5	6	8	6	-	-	5	6	8	4	6	8

Year of Crop.	1726.			1727.			1728.			1729.			1730.			1731.		
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Great oats with fodder	7	-	-	4	13	4	6	-	-	6	-	-	5	-	-	5	6	8
Do. without	4	6	8	4	13	4	5	13	4	5	-	-	4	6	8	5	-	-
Brocked oats with fodder	5	13	4	4	-	-	5	6	8	4	16	8	3	6	8	3	13	4
Do. without	3	16	8	4	-	-	5	-	-	4	-	-	3	-	-	3	6	8
Small oats with fodder	4	-	-	2	6	8	3	-	-	2	10	-	2	-	-	2	3	4
Do. without	2	-	-	2	6	8	2	13	4	2	-	-	1	13	4	1	16	8
Bear with fodder	7	6	8	6	-	-	7	6	8	7	-	-	5	13	4	6	-	-
Do. without	5	13	4	6	-	-	7	-	-	6	-	-	5	-	-	5	13	4
Wair bear with fodder	6	-	-	4	13	4	6	-	-	5	13	4	4	-	-	5	-	-
Do. without	4	10	-	4	13	4	5	13	4	4	13	4	3	6	8	4	13	4
Farme or Mercat bear	5	13	4	6	-	-	7	-	-	6	-	-	5	-	-	5	13	4
White meal	5	6	8	5	6	8	6	-	-	5	13	4	5	-	-	5	6	8
Farme meal	4	6	8	4	13	4	5	13	4	4	13	4	4	3	4	4	13	4
Farme or mercat malt	5	6	8	6	-	-	6	6	8	6	-	-	4	3	4	5	13	4
Wheat	8		-	8	6	8	8	-	-	7	10	-	6	-	-	6	-	-
Rye	4	6	8	4	13	4	5	13	4	5	-	-	4	3	4	4	13	4
Pease	7	-	-	6	13	4	8	-	-	6	6	8	4	3	4	4	6	8

	1722 [illegible] Feb. 1723.	1722 20 Dec. 1723.	1723 26 Feb. 1724.	1723 [1] 19 Aug. 1724.	1724. 26 Feb. 1725.	1725. 18 Feb. 1726.
	£ s. d.	£ s. d	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
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1 After this only one Court was held annually in or soon after the month of February, as fixed by the Act of Sederunt of 21st December, 1723.

Year of Crop.	1741.			1742.			1743.			1744.			1745.			1746.		
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Great oats with fodder .	6	-	-	5	10	-	4	-	-	8	-	-	7	10	-	6	6	8
Do. without .	6	-	-	5	-		3	12	-	6	13	4	6	-	-	5	6	8
Brocked oats with fodder .	4	10	-	4	-	-	3	-	-	6	13	4	6	-	-	5	-	-
Do. without .	4	10	-	3	15		2	16	-	5	-	-	4	13	4	4	3	4
Small oats with fodder .	2	6	8	2	-	-	1	6	8	4	-	-	4	6	8	2	6	8
Do. without .	2	6	8	2	-	-	1	4	-	2	13	4	3	-	-	1	16	-
Bear with fodder . .	7	-	-	6	13	4	4	16	-	9	-	-	9	-	-	7	6	8
Do. without . .	7	-	-	6	-	-	4	10	-	7	-	-	8	-	-	6	13	4
Wair bear with fodder .	5	13	4	5	6	8	3	14		6	13	4	7	10	-	6	6	8
Do. without .	5	13	4	5	-	-	3	10	-	5	6	8	6	10	-	5	6	8
Farm or mercate bear .	7	-	-	6	-	-	4	4	-	7	-	-	8	-	-	6	13	4
White meall (9 stone) .	6	-	-	4	16	8	3	18	-	6	6	8	8	-	-	5	13	4
Farm meall . . .	5	6	8	4	-	-	3	4	-	5	10	-	6	13	4	4	16	-
Farm or mercate malt .	7	-		6	-	-	4	-	-	6	-	-	7	10	-	6	8	-
Wheat	8	-	-	7	-	-	5	-	-	7	-	-	9	-	-	8	-	-
Rye	5	6	8	5	-	-	3	15	-	5	6	8	6	13	4	4	16	-
Pease	8	10	-	6	-	-	4	4	-	7	-	-	8	-	-	6	6	8

Year of Crop.	1756.			1757.			1758.			1759.			1760.			1761.		
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Great oats with fodder .	10	-	-	12	-	-	6	10	-	5	5	-	5	-	-	5	10	-
Do. without .	8	-	-	6	10	-	5	6	8	3	16	-	4	4	-	4	10	-
Brocked oats with fodder .	9	-	-	11	-	-	5	-	-	4	-	-	4	-	-	5	-	-
Do. without .	7	-	-	5	10	-	4	-	-	3	4	-	3	-	-	4	-	-
Small oats with fodder .	6	-	-	8	-	-	4	-	-	2	5	-	2	8	-	3	10	-
Do. without . .	4	-	-	4	-	-	2	13	4	1	16	-	1	16	-	2	10	-
Bear with fodder . .	12	-	-	14	-	-	7	10	-	6	6	-	6	-	-	6	13	4
Do. without . .	10	-	-	9	-	-	6	-	-	5	14	-	5	2	-	5	14	-
Wair bear with fodder .	10	-	-	11	-	-	6	-	-	4	16	-	4	16	-	5	-	-
Do. without .	8	-	-	7	-	-	5	-	-	4	-	-	4	-	-	4	-	-
Farme or market bear .	10	-	-	9	-	-	6	-	-	5	14	-	5	2	-	5	14	-
White meall (9 stone) .	9	-	-	8	4	-	5	-	-	4	8	-	4	13	4	5	6	8
Farme meall . . .	8	-	-	7	4	-	4	6	8	3	16	-	4	-	-	4	10	-
Market malt . . .	9	10	-	9	-	-	6	-	-	6	-	-	5	2	-	6	-	-
Wheat	12	12	-	11	-	-	8	8	-	7	4	-	7	10	-	8	-	-
Rye	6	12	-	6	10	-	4	16	-	4	-	-	4	8	-	4	10	-
Pease	9	-	-	8	10	-	6	-	-	4	8	-	5	-	-	5	-	-

1747.			1748.			1749.			1750.			1751.			1752.			1753.			1754.			1755.		
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4	13	4	5	-	-	4	10	-	5	-	-	6	6	8	6	10	-	6	-	-	4	13	4	6	10	-
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4	16	-	5	6	8	5	-	-	5	6	8	7	10	-	7	10	-	6	6	-	5	6	8	7	-	-
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1762.			1763.			1764.			1765.			1766.			1767.			1768.			1769.			1770.		
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Year of Crop.	1771.			1772.			1773.			1774.			1775.			1776.		
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Great oats with fodder	11	-	-	12	12	-	10	-	-	9	12	-	13	10	-	6	6	-
Do. without	8	8	-	8	14	-	9	-	-	9	-	-	7	10	-	6	-	-
Brocked oats with fodder	9	10	-	11	2	-	8	10	-	7	10	-	11	8	-	4	16	-
Do. without	7	4	-	7	10	-	7	10	-	7	-	-	6	-	-	4	10	-
Small oats with fodder	7	8	-	8	-	-	6	-	-	5	-	-	9	-	-	3	10	-
Do without	4	-	-	4	4	-	5	-	-	4	-	-	4	10	-	3	4	-
Bear with fodder	12	-	-	14	-	-	10	10	-	11	2	-	14	-	-	6	12	-
Do. without	8	8	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Ware bear with fodder	10	-	-	10	10	-	8	8	-	7	10	-	12	-	-	6	6	-
Do. without	8	-	-	8	8	-	7	12	-	7	-	-	8	-	-	6	-	-
Market bear	9	6	-	11	2	-	9	12	-	10	10	0	9	6	-	6	6	-
White meall (9 stone)	9	12	-	10	-	-	9	6	-	10	-	-	8	8	-	6	4	-
Farm meall (8 stone)	8	8	-	8	14	-	8	-	-	8	14	-	7	4	-	5	6	8
Market malt	8	14	-	9	12	-	9	12	-	10	10	-	8	8	-	6	4	-
Wheat	12	12	-	13	-	-	12	12	-	12	3	-	9	18	-	9	12	-
Rye	8	8	-	8	14	-	8	-	-	8	14	-	7	4	-	5	6	8
Pease	8	8	-	8	14	-	8	14	-	9	12	-	9	-	-	6	-	-

Year of Crop.	1786.			1787.			1788.			1789.			1790.			1791.		
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Great oats with fodder	1	-	-	-	15	-	-	14	-	-	11	8	-	15	-	-	18	-
Do. without	-	16	-	-	13	4	-	10	6	-	10	-	-	13	-	-	12	6
Brocked oats with fodder	-	17	-	-	12	-	-	12	-	-	7	6	-	11	-	-	14	6
Do. without	-	13	6	-	10	-	-	9	-	-	6	-	-	9	-	-	10	-
Small oats with fodder	-	12	-	-	10	-	-	9	6	-	6	8	-	9	6	-	13	-
without	-	9	-	-	8	-	-	7	6	-	5	8	-	7	-	-	9	-
Bear with fodder	1	1	-	-	18	-	-	15	-	-	15	-	-	16	-	1	1	-
Ware bear with fodder	1	-	-	-	15	-	-	11	8	-	11	8	-	14	6	-	16	8
Do. without	-	15	-	-	13	-	-	10	-	-	10	-	-	13	-	-	14	-
Market bear	-	16	-	-	16	-	-	13	4	-	13	4	-	14	6	-	16	6
White meal (9 stone)	-	16	-	-	15	6	-	12	-	-	11	6	-	13	8	-	15	-
Farm meal (8 stone)	-	14	-	-	13	4	-	10	6	-	10	-	-	12	-	-	13	4
Market malt	-	17	-	-	17	6	-	16	8	-	16	-	-	16	6	-	19	-
Wheat	-	17	-	-	18	-	-	18	-	1	1	-	1	-	-	-	19	-
Rye	-	14	-	-	13	-	-	10	6	-	13	4	-	13	4	-	13	4
Pease	-	15	-	-	13	4	-	13	-	-	15	-	-	12	-	-	13	4

1777.			1778.			1779.			1780.			1781.			1782.			1783.			1784.			1785.		
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-	11	-	-	10	6	-	10	-	-	10	6	-	10	6	-	18	-	-	18	-	-	12	-	-	12	-
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-	9	6	-	9	6	-	9	-	-	9	6	-	8	6	-	14	-	-	14	-	-	9	6	-	10	-
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-	14	4	-	16	8	-	16	8	-	14	-	-	14	6	1	4	-	1	2	-	-	17	6	-	16	6
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-	13	4	-	16	-	-	15	6	-	13	-	-	12	6	1	1	-	1	-	-	-	16	6	-	15	6
-	12	10	-	12	-	-	11	-	-	11	6	-	10	-	-	19	-	-	17	6	-	15	-	-	13	-
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-	13	-	-	12	-	-	11	3	-	12	6	-	11	8	1	1	6	-	19	6	-	13	6	-	14	-
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-	14	-	-	13	8	-	13	4	-	14	-	-	16	-	-	17	-	-	18	-	-	18	-	-	16	-
-	18	6	-	17	6	-	14	-	-	18	-	-	18	-	1	2	-	-	19	-	-	18	-	-	18	-
-	11	4	-	10	6	-	9	6	-	11	-	-	10	4	-	19	-	-	17	-	-	16	-	-	12	-
-	13	-	-	11	-	-	9	6	-	11	-	-	10	6	1	-	-	-	17	-	-	12	-	-	14	-

1792.			1793.			1794.			1795.			1796.			1797.			1798.			1799.			1800.		
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-	16	-	-	16	-	-	16	-	1	-	6	-	15	4	-	13	-	-	15	-	1	10	-	2	1	8
-	14	-	-	14	-	-	14	-	-	18	-	-	13	4	-	11	6	-	13	4	1	6	8	1	17	-
-	19	-	1	-	-	1	1	-	1	2	6	-	18	6	-	16	-	-	12	6	1	8	-	2	5	-
-	19	6	1	1	-	1	2	-	1	15	-	1	1	-	1	-	-	1	-	-	2	-	-	2	15	-
-	14	-	-	14	-	-	14	-	-	16	6	-	13	-	-	12	-	-	12	-	1	5	-	2	-	-
-	15	6	-	15	6	-	15	6	-	18	-	-	13	4	-	11	6	-	13	4	1	6	8	1	15	-

* Sterling money.

Year of Crop.	1801.	1802.	1803.	1804.	1805.	1806.
	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
Great oats with fodder	- 19 -	- 17 3	1 7 -	1 1 -	- 19 -	1 1 -
Do. without	- 16 -	- 14 9	- 16 -	- 17 -	- 16 6	- 18 6
Brocked oats with fodder	- 16 6	- 15 -	1 5 -	- 19 -	- 16 -	- 18 -
Do. without	- 13 6	- 12 6	- 14 -	- 15 -	- 13 4	- 15 -
Small oats with fodder	- 12 -	- 11 6	1 - -	- - -	- 10 -	- 12 -
Do. without	- 9 -	- 9 -	- 12 6	- - -	- 7 6	- 8 -
Bear with fodder	1 3 -	- 18 -	1 5 -	1 5 -	1 - 6	1 3 6
Ware bear with fodder	1 1 6	- 16 -	1 3 -	- - -	- 18 6	1 1 6
Do. without	- 19 6	- 14 -	- 12 6	- - -	- 16 6	- 19 6
Market bear	1 1 6	- 16 -	- 16 -	1 2 6	- 18 6	1 1 6
White meal (9 stone)	- 17 6	- 16 8	- 18 2	- 19 3	- 19 -	1 2 -
Farm meal (8 stone)	- 15 6	- 14 9	- 16 -	- 17 -	- 16 8	- 19 6
Market malt	1 6 -	1 6 -	1 16 -	1 16 -	1 16 -	1 18 -
Wheat	1 6 -	1 1 -	1 5 -	2 5 -	1 13 -	1 16 -
Rye	- 16 -	- 14 6	- 15 -	- - -	- 16 -	- - -
Pease	- 16 -	- 15 -	- 16 -	- 17 -	- 16 8	- 19 6

Year of Crop.	1813.	1814.	1815.	1816.	1817.	1818.
	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
Oats, 1st qual., with f.	1 9 -	1 5 -	- 17 -	1 9 -	1 13 -	1 11 6
Do. do. without	1 1 6	- 18 -	- 13 -	1 5 -	1 9 -	1 3 6
Do. 2nd qual., with f.	1 5 6	1 2 6	- 15 -	1 1 -	1 8 -	1 9 6
Do. do. without	- 18 -	- 15 6	- 11 -	- 18 -	1 3 -	1 1 6
Oat meal (8 stone)	- 19 -	- 16 -	- 10 6	1 7 -	1 7 -	1 - 6
Farm or market bear with f.	1 11 -	1 5 -	- 16 -	1 11 -	1 11 -	1 17 -
Do. without	1 5 -	- 19 -	- 13 -	1 8 -	1 7 -	1 11 -
Market malt (duty included)	2 5 -	1 15 3	1 12 6	2 5 -	1 18 -	2 5 -
Wheat with fodder	1 18 -	1 13 -	1 7 -	1 12 -	1 17 -	2 - -
Do. without	1 12 -	*1 6 -	1 2 -	1 7 -	1 13 9	1 14 -
Barley with fodder	1 12 -	1 4 6	- 16 -	1 10 9	1 11 -	2 - -
Do. without	1 6 -	* - 19 -	* - 13 -	*1 8 -	1 7 -	1 14 -
Pease	- - -	- - -	- 12 6	- - -	- - -	- - -

* Linlithgow measure.

Year of Crop.	1807.			1808.			1809.		
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Great oats wt. f.	1	16	-	1	18	-	1	2	-
Do. without	1	3	-	1	3	6	-	18	-
Brocked oats with f.	1	10	-	1	15	-	-	-	-
Do. without	-	18	-	1	1	-	-	-	-
Bear with f.	1	15	-	1	15	-	1	5	-
Ware bear wt. f.	1	12	-	1	12	-	-	-	-
Do. without	1	2	-	1	1	6	-	-	-
Farm or market bear w'out f.	1	4	-	1	4	-	1	2	-
*Do.	1	1	$10\frac{19}{17}$	1	1	$10\frac{7}{12}$	-	-	-
White meal (9 st.)	1	8	2	1	9	3	1	3	8
Farm meal (8 st.)	1	5	-	1	6	-	1	1	-
Market malt	2	-	-	2	-	-	2	4	-
Wheat	1	10	-	2	2	-	2	-	-
Pease	1	6	-	1	7	-	1	4	-

Year of Crop.	1810.			1811.			1812.		
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Oats with f.	1	1	-	1	7	-	2	-	-
Do. without	-	17	-	1	-	6	1	15	-
Oats, 2nd qual., with f.	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	11	-
Do. without	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	8	-
Farm meal (8 st.)	-	18	6	-	19	6	1	12	-
White meal, (9 st.)	1	-	10	1	2	-	1	16	-
Bear with f.	1	4	6	-	-	-	-	-	-
Farm or market bear w'out f.	1	1	-	1	5	-	1	15	-
Bear with f.	-	-	-	1	10	-	1	19	-
Do. without	*	18	8	-	-	-	-	-	-
Market malt, besides duty	1	6	-	2	6	-	2	14	-
Barley with f.	1	6	6	-	-	-	-	-	-
Do.	1	3	†	-	-	-	-	-	-
Do.	1	*	$5\frac{1}{3}$	-	-	-	-	-	-
Wheat with f.	1	17	6	2	9	-	2	17	6
Do. without	1	12	6	2	4	-	2	12	6
Pease	1	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-

1819.			1820.			1821.			1822.			1823.			1824.			1825.			1826.			1827.		
£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
1	6	-	-	19	9	-	19	6	1	2	-	1	3	-	1	3	6	1	9	-	2	12	-	1	7	6
-	16	-	-	15	9	-	15	6	-	15	3	-	18	6	-	18	6	1	-	-	1	13	6	1	1	6
1	4	-	-	18	-	-	18	-	1	-	6	1	-	6	1	1	6	1	5	-	2	9	6	1	5	6
-	14	-	-	14	-	-	14	-	-	13	9	-	16	-	-	16	6	-	17	-	1	11	-	-	19	6
-	14	-	-	13	4	-	13	-	-	12	6	-	16	-	-	15	-	-	16	-	†1	4	6	-	14	4
1	4	-	-	19	-	-	19	10	1	3	-	1	6	-	1	8	8	1	10	-	2	7	3	1	10	-
-	17	-	-	15	4	-	16	4	-	17	6	1	2	-	1	4	8	1	3	6	1	12	3	1	5	-
2	5	-	2	3	-	2	2	-	1	12	-	1	15	-	2	2	-	1	19	-	2	13	-	2	8	-
*1	15	-	*1	12	-	*1	10	6	*1	6	-	*1	10	-	*1	14	6	1	17	-	4	-	-	3	0	-
*1	9	-	*1	7	-	*1	6	6	*1	-	-	*1	5	-	*1	9	6	1	10	-	2	18	-	2	10	-
1	6	6	1	1	-	1	1	-	1	4	6	1	8	-	1	11	-	1	11	6	2	8	-	1	11	-
-	19	6	-	17	4	-	18	-	-	19	-	1	4	-	1	7	-	1	5	-	1	13	-	1	6	-
*-	14	-	*-	15	-	*-	11	6	*-	11	6	-	-	-	*-	17	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	5	-

* Linlithgow measure. † 140 lbs. avoirdupois.
The prices of malt crops 1811 and 1812 included duty.

Year of Crop.	1828.			1829.			1830.			1831.			1832.			1833.			1834.		
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Oats, 1st qual., wi. f.	1	10	-	1	5	10	1	7	11¾	1	11	8	1	2	-	1	-	5 11/12	1	8	2
Do. do. without	1	4	-	-	19	10	1	2	11¾	1	1	1 4/12	-	17	9	-	16	5 5/12	1	1	8
Do., 2nd qual., wi. f.	1	7	6	1	4	6	1	6	8¾	1	11	- 4/12	1	-	6	-	19	2 11/12	1	6	8
Do. do. without	1	2	-	-	18	6	1	1	8¾	-	19	10 5/12	-	16	2	-	15	9	1	-	2
Oatmeal, per boll .	-	16	3	-	13	6	-	16	8	-	14	10	-	12	-	-	11	6	-	14	6
Farm or market bear with fodder	1	15	-	1	9	10	1	12	3¾	1	16	- 1/12	1	7	3¾	1	6	- 11/12	1	9	9½
Do. without	1	10	5	1	4	10	1	7	3¾	1	7	3 10/12	1	3	7	1	2	4 2/12	1	4	10
Malt (duty includ.)	2	12	-	2	12	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2	5	-	2	4	6	-	-	-
Barley with fodder	1	16	6	1	11	-	1	13	6¾	1	17	3	1	8	6¾	1	7	3 10/12	1	11	4½
Do. without .	1	12	-	1	6	1	1	8	6¾	1	8	6 8/12	1	4	10	1	3	7 1/12	1	6	4½
Wheat with fodder	3	15	-	2	18	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2	17	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Do. without .	3	7	-	2	12	-	2	10	2½	2	18	-	2	10	-	2	4	-	1	19	-
Pease . . .	1	7	-	1	5	-	1	10	-	1	5	-	1	3	-	1	1	-	1	7	-
Beans . . .	1	9	-	1	5	-	-	-	-	1	5	-	1	3	-	1	-	6	1	6	3

Year of Crop.	1844.			1845.			1846.			1847.			1848.			1849.			1850.		
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Oats, 1st qual., with fodder	1	4	-	1	8	3	1	18	-	1	8	-	1	2	6	-	19	6	1	5	-
Do. do. without	-	18	3	1	2	6	1	10	6	1	1	-	-	16	8	-	13	6	-	15	6
Do., 2nd quality, with f.	1	3	-	1	7	3	1	16	6	1	7	-	1	1	2	-	19	-	1	4	-
Do. do. without	-	17	3	1	1	6	1	9	-	1	-	-	-	15	4	-	13	-	-	14	6
Oatmeal, p. boll 140 lbs. av.	-	14	4	-	18	6	1	3	10	-	15	8	-	12	8	-	11	4	-	12	-
Farm or market bear, 1st qual., with fodder	1	11	-	1	12	6	2	2	2	1	13	10	1	10	6	1	3	-	1	8	-
Do. do. without .	1	5	3	1	7	-	1	15	8	1	7	10	1	5	6	-	18	-	1	1	-
Farm or market bear, 2nd qual., with fodder	-	-	-	1	9		1	19	10	1	12	11	1	9	-	1	1	8	1	7	-
Do. do. without .	-	-	-	1	3	6	1	13	4	1	6	11	1	4	-	-	16	8	1	-	-
Malt (duty included) .	2	9	6	-	-	-	-	-	-	3	-	-	3	-	-	2	2	-	2	1	6
Barley with fodder . .	1	13	-	1	12	6	2	4	9	1	14	9	1	10	10	1	5	-	1	10	2
Do. without . .	1	7	3	1	7	-	1	18	3	1	8	9	1	5	10	1	-	-	1	3	2
Wheat with fodder . .	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Do. without . .	-	-	-	3	-	-	2	16	4	2	10	-	2	1	-	1	13	2	1	15	5
Wheat, red, with fodder .	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-		-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Do. without . .	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Pease	-	-	-	1	10	-	2	1	10	1	8	-	1	2	6	1	3	6	1	4	9
Beans . . .	-	-	-	1	10	-	2	1	8	1	8	-	1	3	6	1	-	-	1	2	-

1835.			1836.			1837.			1838.			1839.			1840.			1841.			1842.			1843.		
£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
1	5	6	1	14	7½	1	11	6	1	13	6	1	8	6	1	6	-	1	9	4	1	6	6*	1	5	8
-	19	3	1	3	7½	1	1	6	1	5	3	1	2	-	1	1	-	-	18	4	-	16	6	-	18	6
1	4	3	1	13	4½	1	9	6	1	12	6	1	7	6	1	4	6	1	8	-	1	5	-	1	4	-
-	18	-	1	2	4½	-	19	6	1	4	3	1	1	-	-	19	6	-	17	-	-	15	-	-	16	10
-	13	6	-	18	-	-	15	6	1	1	6	-	16	9	-	15	-	-	15	-	-	11	9	-	13	-
1	6	8¾	-	-	-	1	13	3	1	17	6	1	15	6	1	8	-	1	13	6	1	10	6	1	12	6
1	1	8¾	1	7	3½	1	5	3	1	11	-	1	10	-	1	4	-	1	4	6	1	2	6	1	6	9
2	5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2	11	2	2	3	9	2	8	-
1	8	7½	-	-	-	1	14	6	1	19	6	1	16	6	1	9	-	1	16	-	1	13	-	1	15	-
1	3	7½	1	8	6½	1	6	6	1	13	-	1	11	-	1	5	-	1	7	-	1	5	-	1	9	-
1	16	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2	17	-
1	10	9	2	7	-	2	8	-	-	-	-	3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2	8	-
1	5	6	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	12	-	1	8	3	1	3	-	1	5	10
1	5	6	1	12	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	11	-	1	12	-	1	9	-	1	4	-	1	5	10

1851.			1852.			1853.			1854.			1855.			1856.			1857.			1858.			1859.		
£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
1	2	8	1	4	2	1	16	6	1	12	4	1	15	2	1	6	6	1	7	8	1	7	-	1	13	-
-	16	8	-	17	8	1	5	6	1	6	4	1	7	2	1	-	-	-	19	8	1	-	6	1	1	-
1	2	-	1	3	6	1	15	6	1	11	4	1	14	2	1	5	6	1	7	-	1	6	-	1	12	-
-	16	-	-	17	-	1	4	6	1	5	4	1	6	2	-	19	-	-	19	-	-	19	6	1	-	-
-	12	8	-	13	-	1	-	-	-	19	1	1	2	-	-	16	11	-	15	2	-	15	0	-	16	4
1	7	6	1	12	2	2	6	-	1	16	6	2	3	9	2	-	3	1	15	-	1	10	0	2	1	2
1	2	6	1	6	2	1	17	-	1	11	6	1	17	3	1	14	9	1	8	-	1	4	6	1	10	2
1	6	6	1	11	2	2	4	8	1	15	-	2	2	3	1	18	9	1	14	-	1	9	-	1	19	10
1	1	6	1	5	2	1	15	8	1	10	-	1	15	9	1	13	3	1	7	-	1	3	6	1	8	10
2	4	10	2	8	9	2	18	8	3	3	2	3	6	4	3	2	-	2	18	-	2	18	3	3	-	2
1	7	8	1	13	8	2	7	-	1	16	10	2	3	7	2	-	10	1	14	2	1	11	-	2	3	4
1	2	8	1	7	8	1	18	-	1	11	10	1	17	1	1	15	4	1	7	2	1	5	6	1	12	4
-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2	2	6	2	6	-	2	6	4	2	15	7
1	17	-	2	1	8	2	18	-	3	3	7	3	9	2	1	16	6	1	18	-	1	19	10	2	3	7
-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	18	2	2	0	6	2	12	4
-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	10	2	1	14	-	2	-	4
1	2	1	1	8	8	1	19	2	1	17	4	1	19	-	1	10	11	1	10	-	1	11	9	1	13	7
1	3	4	1	10	5	2	3	-	2	1	10	1	12	10	1	8	11	1	11	-	1	12	-	1	16	6

* Called "potato oats."

Year of Crop.	1860.			1861.			1862.			1863.			1864.			1865.		
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Oats, 1st qual., with fodder	1	10	6	1	6	-	1	6	2	1	2	9	1	2	6	1	13	-
Do. do. without .	1	3	-	1	-	6	1	-	8	-	16	9	-	16	-	1	3	-
Do. 2nd qual., with fodder	1	9	-	1	5	-	1	5	2	1	1	9	1	1	6	1	12	4
Do. do. without .	1	1	6	-	19	6	-	19	8	-	15	9	-	15	-	1	2	4
Oatmeal, p. boll, 140lbs. av.	-	19	6	-	16	8	-	16	4	-	13	3	-	12	6	-	17	-
Farm or market bear, 1st qual., with fodder	1	14	6	1	11	10	1	9	3	1	9	10	1	7	5	1	15	8
Do. do. without .	1	9	-	1	6	10	1	4	3	1	4	4	1	1	11	1	6	8
Farm or market bear, 2nd qual., with fodder	1	13	-	1	10	6	1	7	9	1	8	6	1	5	11	1	15	-
Do. do. without .	1	7	6	1	5	6	1	2	9	1	3	-	1	-	5	1	6	-
Malt (duty included) .	3	5	2	2	17	1	2	19	6	2	15	10	3	-	-	3	-	-
Barley, with fodder . .	1	16	-	1	12	6	1	11	1	1	10	10	1	8	3	1	17	2
Do. without . .	1	10	6	1	7	6	1	6	1	1	5	4	1	2	9	1	8	2
Wheat, white, with fodder	2	9	6	2	19	8	2	7	2	2	4	3	1	16	4	2	17	-
Do. without .	2	2	-	2	14	8	2	2	2	1	18	9	1	10	10	2	8	-
Wheat, red, with fodder .	2	4	7	2	10	11	2	2	4	1	12	9	1	12	5	2	12	4
Do. without .	1	17	1	2	5	11	1	17	4	1	7	3	1	6	11	2	3	4
Pease	1	17	9	1	13	5	1	16	-	1	10	-	1	8	6	1	18	9
Beans	1	15	-	1	16	5	1	13	2	1	10	-	1	7	6	1	18	6

Year of Crop.	1875.			1876.			1877.			1878.			1879.			1880.		
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Oats, 1st qual., with fodder	1	12	11	1	15	1	1	11	7	1	6	-	1	9	4	1	9	-
Do. do. without .	1	3	11	1	1	7	1	2	7	-	19	6	1	1	4	1	-	6
Do. 2nd qual., with fodder	1	11	-	1	12	11	1	8	8	1	3	10	1	5	11	1	6	9
Do. do. without .	1	2	-	-	19	5	-	19	8	-	17	4	-	17	11	-	18	3
Oatmeal, p. boll, 140lbs. av.	-	18	9	-	18	3	-	18	7	-	14	9	-	17	-	-	14	9
Farm or market bear, 1st qual., with fodder	1	15	3	2	1	-	1	16	11	1	12	10	1	14	4	1	17	6
Do. do. without .	1	7	3	1	8	6	1	8	11	1	7	4	1	7	4	1	10	-
Farm or market bear, 2nd qual., with fodder	1	12	10	1	16	9	1	12	5	1	10	6	1	9	4	1	14	-
Do. do. without .	1	4	10	1	4	3	1	4	5	1	5	-	1	2	4	1	6	6
Malt (duty included) .	3	15	5	3	15	9	3	14	7	3	16	6	3	16	1	-	-	-
Barley, 1st qual., with fod.	1	16	9	2	1	7	1	15	11	1	15	4	1	16	5	1	18	2
Do. do. without .	1	8	9	1	9	1	1	7	11	1	9	10	1	9	5	1	10	8
Do. 2nd qual., with fod.	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	11	4	1	15	11
Do. do. without .	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	4	4	1	8	5
White wheat, without fod.	1	17	3	2	7	-	-	-	-	1	14	6	-	-	-	-	-	-
Wheat, red, without fodder	1	12	1	1	18	10	-	-	-	1	11	2	-	-	-	-	-	-
Pease	2	-	10	1	17	10	1	17	1	1	18	7	-	-	-	1	18	8
Beans	1	19	4	1	14	4	-	-	-	1	12	-	-	-	-	1	14	6

1866.			1867.			1868.			1869.			1870.			1871.			1872.			1873.			1874.		
£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
1	14	-	1	12	7	2	4	10	1	7	3	1	12	4	1	12	7	1	8	10	1	12	9	1	17	1
1	4	-	1	5	1	1	7	10	-	19	9	1	3	4	1	2	7	1	2	1	1	5	3	1	6	7
1	13	-	1	10	7	2	3	4	1	5	9	1	10	10	1	11	1	1	7	4	1	11	3	1	15	1
1	3	-	1	3	1	1	6	4	-	18	3	1	1	10	1	1	1	1	-	7	1	3	9	1	4	7
-	19	7	1	1	1	1	-	3	-	15	3	-	16	5	-	16	11	-	18	6	-	19	-	-	19	8
2	2	6	1	18	9	2	14	6	1	14	6	1	17	3	1	17	3	1	11	11	1	19	1	2	3	6
1	12	6	1	12	3	1	18	6	1	8	-	1	9	3	1	8	3	1	6	2	1	12	7	1	14	-
2	1	6	1	17	3	2	13	-	1	13	-	1	15	9	1	15	9	1	10	5	1	17	7	2	-	4
1	11	6	1	10	9	1	17	-	1	6	6	1	7	9	1	6	9	1	4	8	1	11	1	1	10	10
3	11	1	3	10	5	3	11	10	3	9	10	3	12	7	2	15	2	3	12	1	4	-	8	4	1	2
2	4	4	2	1	7	2	15	5	1	14	9	1	19	-	1	18	10	1	12	2	2	1	6	2	4	-
1	14	4	1	15	1	1	19	5	1	8	3	1	11	-	1	9	10	1	6	5	1	15	-	1	14	6
-	-	-	-	-	-	3	4	8	-	-	-	2	17	5	3	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2	10	9
2	12	8	2	12	10	2	8	8	1	18	-	2	8	5	2	12	-	2	4	3	2	13	5	2	-	3
-	-	-	-	-	-	3	-	-	-	-	-	2	14	7	2	14	10	-	-	-	-	-	-	2	6	8
2	6	9	2	8	2	2	4	-	1	14	-	2	5	7	2	5	10	1	13	8	2	9	1	1	16	2
1	19	1	2	2	4	2	-	8	1	9	7	1	15	10	1	18	9	1	12	10	1	17	9	1	19	7
1	19	4	2	1	6	2	3	9	1	9	5	1	19	5	1	17	1	1	13	9	1	19	7	2	-	11

1881.			1882.			1883.			1884.			1885.			1886.			1887.			1888.			1889.		
£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
1	9	4	1	8	11	1	9	5	1	10	11	1	10	-	1	4	-	1	2	5	1	5	1	1	5	2
1	-	4	1	-	5	-	19	11	-	19	11	-	19	-	-	17	-	-	13	11	-	17	1	-	17	8
1	7	-	1	6	8	1	7	-	1	9	-	1	6	5	1	1	5	1	1	2	1	1	10	1	3	3
-	18	-	-	18	2	-	17	6	-	18	-	-	15	5	-	14	5	-	12	8	-	13	10	-	15	9
-	15	-	-	15	3	-	16	-	-	14	7	-	14	7	-	13	1	-	11	1	-	14	7	-	13	11
1	13	11	1	11	7	1	11	7	1	14	3	1	11	1	1	5	6	1	5	10	1	7	5	1	7	10
1	5	11	1	4	1	1	3	1	1	4	3	1	1	1	-	19	6	-	18	4	1	-	5	1	1	4
1	10	5	1	9	1	1	9	5	1	12	1	1	8	8	1	3	1	1	3	11	1	4	7	1	6	-
1	2	5	1	1	7	1	-	11	1	2	1	-	18	8	-	17	1	-	16	5	-	17	7	-	19	6
-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
1	15	6	1	13	8	1	14	1	1	16	4	1	13	3	1	7	9	1	7	7	1	9	7	1	9	6
1	7	6	1	6	2	1	5	7	1	6	4	1	3	3	1	1	9	1	-	1	1	2	7	1	3	-
1	12	5	1	11	1	1	11	9	1	13	5	1	10	-	1	5	-	1	6	1	1	6	3	1	7	8
1	4	5	1	3	7	1	3	3	1	3	5	1	-	-	-	19	-	-	18	7	-	19	3	1	1	2
-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	8	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	6	4
-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
1	9	3	1	-	6	1	9	-	1	7	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
1	11	10	1	9	4	1	8	8	1	6	11	1	3	4	1	1	7	1	6	11	-	-	-	1	2	-

Year of Crop.	1890.			1891.			1892.			1893.			1894.			1895.		
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Oats, 1st qual., with fodder	1	3	11	1	9	5	1	7	4	1	8	11	1	4	11	1	2	8
Do. do. without .	-	16	11	1	-	11	-	17	4	-	17	11	-	15	11	-	14	2
Do. 2nd qual., with fodder	1	2	4	1	7	7	1	2	8	1	7	6	1	3	4	1	1	3
Do. do. without .	-	15	4	-	19	1	-	12	8	-	16	6	-	14	4	-	12	9
Oatmeal, p. boll, 140lbs. av.	-	13	4	-	15	10	-	16	2	-	14	-	-	12	3	-	11	3
Farm or market bear, 1st qual., with fodder	1	7	7	1	12	8	1	9	2	1	10	7	1	6	3	1	5	2
Do. do. without .	1	1	7	1	5	8	1	1	2	1	1	7	-	18	3	-	17	8
Farm or market bear, 2nd qual., with fodder	1	5	10	1	10	7	1	5	1	1	8	3	1	3	1	1	2	5
Do. do. without .	-	19	10	1	3	7	-	17	1	-	19	3	-	15	1	-	14	11
Barley, 1st qual., with f. .	1	10	5	1	15	3	1	12	8	1	14	2	1	10	2	1	10	4
Do. do. without .	1	4	5	1	8	3	1	4	8	1	5	2	1	2	2	1	2	10
Do. 2nd qual., with f. .	1	9	4	1	12	2	1	7	4	1	12	5	1	6	3	1	8	4
Do. do. without	1	3	4	1	5	2	-	19	4	1	3	5	-	18	3	1	-	10
Pease	1	14	9	1	8	8	-	-	-	2	-	-	1	13	-	1	11	-
Beans	1	4	-	1	9	8	1	4	-	1	7	-	1	2	-	1	3	3

Year of Crop.	1896.			1897.			1898.			1899.			1900.		
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Oats, 1st qual., with fodder	1	2	-	1	6	11½	1	6	6	1	5	-	1	5	7
Do. do. without	-	14	6	-	17	11½	-	17	-	-	16	-	-	17	1
Do. 2nd qual., with f.	1	-	8	1	5	11¾	1	4	5	1	3	6	1	3	9
Do. do. without	-	13	2	-	16	11¾	-	14	11	-	14	6	-	15	3
Oatmeal, p. boll, 140 lbs. av.	-	11	9	-	12	6	-	12	10	-	12	-	-	13	-
Farm or market bear, 1st qual., with fodder	1	4	6	1	8	11¼	1	11	5	-	-	-	-	-	-
Do. do. without	-	18	-	1	-	11¼	1	2	11	-	-	-	-	-	-
Farm or market bear, 2nd qual., with fodder	1	1	8	1	5	3	1	9	-½	-	-	-	-	-	-
Do. do. without	-	15	2	-	17	3	1	-	6½	-	-	-	-	-	-
Barley, 1st qual., with f.	1	9	5	1	12	10½	1	14	6	1	11	6	1	11	3
Do. do. without	1	2	11	1	4	10½	1	6	-	1	3	6	1	3	9
Do. 2nd qual., with f.	1	3	1	1	9	8¼	1	11	11½	1	9	4	1	8	-
Do. do. without	-	16	7	1	1	8¼	1	3	5½	1	1	4	1	-	6

APPENDIX

Examples of Verdicts, Interlocutors, etc., in Fiars Court

(31 July 1632)

The haill persones of Inquest aboue namet be the mouth of the said Patrick Gordoun [of Gordonsmiln] quhom they chuisit for thair chancellair liquidat the pryces of ilk boll victuall aboue mentionet in maner aboue exprest

Patrick Gordoune Chencellair
Mr James Irwing Shref deput

(31 July 1650)

The haill Inquest by the mouth of the aboue namit Andrew Burnet [of Schettocksleyis] thair chossin Chanr liquidats modafies and sets doun the pryces of the victuall aboue mentionat as is aboue exprest

Andrew Burnet Chanceller

(31 July 1652)

The haill fornamet persones hauing electit nominat and cheyset the said Andro Raitt [Chalmerlane to the Laird Pitfoddells] thair chossin chancellair haue liquidat modafeit and set doune the pryces of the vitell aboue mentionat as is aboue exprest

A. Raitt

(1 August 1656)

The haill persons of Inquest all in [one] voice be the mouth of Hew Gordon in Rynie thair chosen Chancellar modifies and liquidats the pryces of the victuall aboue writtin for the terme of Lambes cropt and year of God 1^{m} vi^{c} fiftie fyve years as is aboue writtin

Hugh Gordoune
Thomas Gordoune [Sheriff depute]

(2 August 1667)

The haill persones of Inquest be the mouth of the said Ro. Blackhall [Burgess of Abd] there chosine Chancleir appretiats the victuall above mentionat according to the particular pryces above set doune

Ro. Blackhall Chanseleir

(19 August 1724)

The haill persons of Inquest above named by the mouth of the said Mr Alexander Davidson [of Newtoune] their chosen Chancelor appretiat the victuall above sett doune at the pryces above specifyed as proceeds from the proper knowledge of most of the above Inquest

Al Davidson Chancellor
Robt Stewart

The Shirreff having considered the verdict of the Gentlemen on the said Assise who being sworn to pass thereupon and having given their verdict that the prices to which the several grains are appretiate by them doe proceed from their own proper knowledge the Shirreff accordingly approves of the said verdict and ordains the prices of the said victuall to be ruled accordingly [1]

Robt Stewart

(19 February 1729)

The haill persons above named by the mouth of the said Major Thomas Gordon [of Clerkseat] their chosen Chancellor appretiat the victuall above set doun at the prices above specified according to the proper knowledge of most of the foresaid inquest and by plurality of votes

Thos Gordon Chancellor
Alexr Hay Clk

(13 February 1765)

The haill persons of inquest above named by the mouth of the said John Clerk of Kincardine their chosen Chancellor, appretiate the victual within mentioned at the respective prices within written, according to the proper knowledge of most of the Inquest and by plurality of voices

John Clerk

(12 February 1766)

The haill persons of Inquest within named by the mouth of the said John Duncan [of Mostown] their chosen chancellor appretiate the victual within mentioned at the respective prices within written and adjected to the several species of victual and grain therein specified according to the proper knowledge of the said Inquest thereto cited by warrand of the Sheriff

John Duncan
Preses

1. This was the first occasion on which the presiding judge pronounced a formal interlocutor. Previously he had never gone beyond signing the verdict along with the Chancellor of the Jury.

(19 February 1773)[1]

In respect Thomas Forbes of Ballogie George Moir of Scotstown Adam Duff of Stocket William Brebner of Lairny & Patrick Durward Baker in Aberdeen having all & each of them failled to appear this day in terms of the citation given them to pass as assizers for stricking the Fiars of the Victual of the County of Aberdeen therefore the Sherriff Fines and ammerciates each of them in the sum of One Hundred Merks Scots and decerns the same to be paid to the Pror Fiscall of Court

Robt Turner

Thereafter the said William Brebner & Thomas Forbes having immediately afterwards appeared and also before Impanelling the Jury Adam Duff having appeared the Sherriff Remitted and hereby Remitts their Fynes

(25 February 1778)

[To the usual verdict the following rider was added.] The Inquest do not think it necessary to continue the distinctions in the Fiars of Small oats with and without Fodder and Ware bear with & without Fodder and unanimously recommend that these articles may be omitted in the Lists of the different grains for the future

James Ligertwood [of Tillierye]

(24 February 1808)

The haill persons of Inquest within named by the mouth of the said John Forbes [of Upper Boyndlie] their chosen Chancellor appretiate the victual within mentioned at the respective prices adjected to the several species of grain and victual before written conform to Aberdeenshire measure according to the proper knowledge of the said Inquest as sworn by the Sheriff and at the request of the Sheriff they further find the Farm Bear agreeably to the Linlithgow measure is one pound one shilling & ten pence 10/17 p boll

John Forbes C

(27 February 1811)

[To the usual verdict the following rider was added.] While the Jury have made a Return on the price of Barley from the evidence laid before them they think it proper to observe that there is but little of that Grain raised in this County

Wm Forbes C [of Craigievar Bart]

1. These entries were not found in the Fiars Diet Book; but in the ordinary Court Diet Book of the same date as that of the Fiars Court.

(27 February 1818)

Sheriff Moir of Scotstown presided and caused the whole depositions of the witnesses to be engrossed and signed in the Diet Book

(26 February 1819)

The Sheriff Substitute Dr Dauney remitted the proof taken on papers apart to the knowledge of the Inquest

(15 March 1826)

[To the usual verdict there was added the following rider.] The meal being of the weight of eight Stone Dutch per boll and the grain according to the measure used in Aberdeenshire previous to the Regulations of the Weights and Measures by the late Act of Parliament.

Hary Lumsden [of Belhelvie]
Chancr.

(22 March 1827)

[To the usual verdict there was added the following rider.] The meal being of the weight of One hundred and forty pounds Avoirdupois per Boll and the Grain according to the Imperial Measure fixed by Act of Parliament per Quarter

Hary Lumsden C

(6 March 1857)

[To the usual verdict there was added the following rider.] The Jury recommend that in future separate Fiars Prices be struck for White Wheat & Red Wheat, and that the schedules for the witnesses be framed accordingly

W. J. Lumsden C [of Balmedie]

(8 March 1867)

[To the usual verdict there was added the following rider.] The Jury explains that the said fiars prices for Oats Bear and Barley with Fodder include the expense of cutting down and harvesting the said crop

Robt F. O. Farquharson [of Haughton]

(8 March 1878)

[The following pencil memorandum by Sheriff Clerk.] Schedules for Jury to be printed next year

(12 March 1880)

[To the usual verdict there was added the following rider.] The Jury have this year in consequence of the exceptional circumstances fixed the Fiars for two qualities of Barley but they leave the question open as to the propriety of two qualities in the future and by a majority have desired this note to be added to the verdict

W Forbes [of Craigievar]
Bt Ch

(2 March 1900)

The Jury did not strike a Bear Fiar.

Example of fixing Fiars Prices in Baillie Court

(19 August 1598)

The said day Anent the suplicatioun presentit to the prouest and baillies of the said burght be Maister Alex Lewingstoun advocat desyring the saids prouest and baillies for the advancement and furtherance of Justice That they wald tack for tryell ane inquisitioun be the depositiouns of honest and famous witnesses what was the lowest and hiest prices of sufficient meill mercat stuff with ane peck to the boll therof sauld within the meill mercat off the said burght upoun the mercat dayes immediatlie preceiding the termes of Hallowmes and Candilmes last bypast in the yeir of God 1^{m} v^{c} fourscoir sewintene yeiris And Belten and Lambes last bypast in this instant yeir of God 1^{m} v^{c} fourscoir auchteine yeirs And what was the lowest and hiest prices of sufficient beir with ane peck to ilk boll theroff bocht be the maltmen and induellaris of the said burght at the terms above rehersit And that the said Maister Alexander micht have thair testimoniall theropone under thair subscriptionis in dew forme as at mair lenth was contenit in the said supplicatioun Qlk being thocht reasonabill be the baillies foirsaidis They causit warne befoir thame thir persones following Merchandis craftismen and maltmen rexve all burgesses induellaris in the said burght as persones that best knew the price of the victuall as the same was sauld within this burght and mercat theroff at the termes rexve aboue writtin viz Williame Thomsoun Walter Watsoun Andro Adye James Brabner Jhonne Davidsoun Charlis Schilgreine Thomas Kellie Jhonne Touche baxter Andro Leslye Gilbert Wilguiss James Fowlartoun Dauid Craig Dauid Castell Patrick Prott quhome they causit to be all solemptmlie sworne to declair the trewth and veritie in the premissis Quha out of Court removit eftir lang deliberatioun & consultatioun amongis thameselffis upoun the prices gewin for meill and beir within the mercat of this burght at the termes aboue specifeit And entering againe in Court They all upoun thair gryt aithe Declarit That the hiest price that ane boll of meill sufficient mercat stuff with ane peck to the boll gaiff within the meill mercat of this burght upoun the mercat dayes Immediatlie preceiding the termes of Hallowmes and Candilmes Last bypast in the said yeir of God 1^{m} v^{c} four scoir sewinteine yeiris was ten merkis money And the Lawest price that ane boll of sufficient mercat meill with ane peck to the boll gaiff in the said meill mercat upoun the mercat dayes immediatlie preceiding the saids terms was fyve

punds And that the hiest price that was gottin in the foirsaid mercat for a boll of meill with ane peck thairunto sufficient mercat stuff sauld within the same befoir Belten and Lambes Last by past was sex punds And the Lawest price Immediatlie befoir the saids terms was four punds And siclyk that the hiest price that a boll of beir gaiff commonlie with a peck to the boll betuix merchand and merchand in the said burght about the saids feastis of Hallowmes and Candilmes was Ten merkis ten sh And that beir was of the same price befoir Belten and Lambes last was And this the foirnamit persones Declarit be vertew of thair gryt aythis quhairupon the baillies foirsaids ordanit thair testimoniall to be gewin to the said Mr Alexander Lewingstoun in dew forme under townis priuie seall Upoun the quhilks the said Mr Alexr tuik Act of Court & Instrument

List of Fiars Jurors, 1604-1900

Aberdeen, Alexander, in Wattertoun. 1718-9
Aberdeen, Alexander, merchant, Old Abd. 1740
Aberdeen, Alexander, younger, of Cairnbulg. 1740. [Provost of Aberdeen, 1742-3]
Aberdein, Andrew, in Sunnyside. 1680-97
Aberdein, George, in Caberstone. 1691
Aberdein, George, in Old Abd. sometimes designed farmer sometimes maltman. 1696-1721. 43 times
Aberdein, Patrick, in Caberstone. 1698
Aberdein, Patrick or Peter, in Sunnyside. 1702-13 designed as above; 1714-23 designed in Old Abd. or farmer in Old Abd. or maltman in Old Abd. 28 times.
Abell, Alexander, in Glasgowego. 1655
Abell, William, in Glasgowego. 1655
Abel, Thomas, baker. 1775
Abercrombie, Robert, merchant, 1825
Adam, George, in Sunnyside. 1718
Adam, William, advocate, Aberdeen, sometimes designed as of Ranna. 1834-65. 17 times
Ainslie, Ainslie Douglas, of Delgaty. 1881-3
Ainslie, William, Taitswell, Mintlaw. 1896-1900
Alcock, Robert, advocate, Aberdeen. 1834
Aldjo (also Aljo), Thomas, baxter in Abd. 1710-1
Alexander, John, advocate, Abd. 1752
Allan, John, mealseller. 1805
Allardyce, Colonel James, of Colquoich. 1891-4
Anderson or Andersone, Alexander, maltman, Abd. 1682-1705
Anderson, Alexander, Tillygreig. 1867-8
Anderson, Sir Alexander, advocate in Abd. 1872. [Lord Provost of Aberdeen, 1859-65]
Anderson, Andrew, farmer, Mameulah. 1900
Anderson, Arthur, of Deebank. 1823-35. 10 times
Anderson, John, of Blackhill. 1863
Anderson, John, of Greens. 1735 and 1751

Anderson, Patrick or Peter, of Bourty. 1726-54. 13 times
Anderson, William, in Murcar. 1716
Anderson, William, younger, in Abd. 1650
Anderson William (not designed). 1650
Andersone, William, in Gulfork. 1651
Angus, Thomas (not designed). 1650
Angus, Thomas A., in Justice Mills. 1677
Angus, William A., in Justice Mills. 1677
Annand, William, of Belmount. 1826
Arthur, Robert, in Gawner. 1631
Arthur, Thomas, maltman in Old Abd. 1706
Attershank, James, burgess, Abd. 1650
Auldjo, John (sometimes Algeo, Aldjoe, Aldjo), baxter in Abd. 1731-51. 10 times
designed of Clayhills. 1754-70. 15 times
and of Portlethen. 1769-81. 9 times
Auldjo, George, of Portlethen. 1792. [Provost of Aberdeen, 1791-2]

Bage, Abraham (not designed). 1652
Bannerman, Alexander, maltman, in Abd. 1708
Bannerman, Alexander, merchant. 1829-30
Bannerman, Sir Alexander, of Elsick, Bart. 1814-5
Bannerman, Alexander, of Frendraught. 1740-53
Bannerman, Charles, advocate. 1794-1810
Bannerman, Charles, of Kirkhill. 1817 and 1824
Bannerman, John, in Gordonsmiln. 1680
Bannerman, John, maltman in Old Abd. 1690-9
Bannerman, Thomas, merchant. 1800-23
Barcar, Andrew, baxter, Abd. 1604
Barclay, Charles Al., factor, Aberdour House, Fraserburgh. 1877-91
Barclay, James, at Mill of Knockleith. 1816
Barnet, John, Fermorer. 1667
Barnet, John, laberer. 1676
Barnet, William, in Newhills. 1630
Barron, Patrick, junior, merchant, Abd. 1756
Barron, Patrick of Old Cruives. 1758
Barron, Patrick, of Woodside. 1781 and 1796
Bartlet, David, advocate, Aberdeen. 1750-76
Bartlet, George, fermarer in Grandhome. 1692-3
Bartlet, George, in Gilcomstoun. 1695; also 1708 and 1734

Bartlet, George, in Upper Gilcomston. 1706-22 and 1725
Bartlet, George, in Shethocksley. 1719-20
Bartlett, William, in Robslaw, designed once maltman. 1677-81 and 1691
Bartlet, William, in Ariburne. 1670 and 1679
Bartlet, William, in Gilcomstone. 1690-9. 11 times
Baverley, Andrew, in Abd. 1649
Baverly, William, indweller, Old Abd. 1677-81
Bean, John, maltster, Abd. 1759-70. (In 1764 designed vintner.) 11 times
Bean, John, maltman, in Abd. 1719-20
Beattie, William Forbes, land surveyor. 1837
Birnie, George, at Miln of Fedderat. 1751
Birnie, James, burgess of Abd. 1632
Birnie, John, stabler in Abd. 1651
Blair, Patrick, burgess of Abd. 1670
Black, George, in Old Abd. 1708-10
Black, Alexander, in Kinmundy. 1713
Black, James, of Willowbank. 1824
Black, John, farmer, Watridgemuir. 1825-6
Black, Patrick, of Haddo. 1728
Black, William, common brewer at Devanha. 1811-2
Black, William, merchant. 1804-7
Black, William, of Cloghill. 1792-1802
Blak, Alexander, burgess of Abd. 1628
Blak, Alexander, younger, in [?] Pitmuk. 1631
Blak, James, in Inverourie. 1630
Blak, Patrick, in Tonley. 1665
Blakhall, Alexander, maltman, burges of Abd. 1631
Blackhall, Robert, burgess of Abd. 1666
Blaikie, David, of Kinmundy. 1837-41
Blaikie, James, advocate. 1828-32. [Provost of Aberdeen, 1833-5]
Blaikie, John, of Craigiebuckler. 1843-58
Blenshell, John, maltman, 1682
Boyd, Andrew, solicitor, Peterhead, 1870-80
Boyes, George, in Abd. 1656
Bower, James H., of Pitmurchie. 1887-94
Brebner, Alexander, merchant, Abd. 1777
Brebner, Alexander, younger, of Lairnie. 1783-96, and again as of Lairnie in 1799. [Provost of Aberdeen, 1805-6]

Brebner, James, advocate. 1848-51
Brebner, William, of Lairnie. 1747-72
Brooke, Captain Harry Vesey, of Fairley. 1893-4
Bruce, Alexander, baxter, burgess of Abd. 1678
Bruce, George, burgess of Abd. 1631
Bruce, James, of Inverquhomery and Longside. 1896
Bruce, Sir Michael, of Stenhouse, Bart. 1833-5
Bruce, Thomas, in Kemnay. 1628
Buchan, James, of Auchmacoy. 1865
Buchan, John, baxter in Abd. 1698-9
Burness, Alexander, of Mastrick. 1842-61. 16 times
Burnet, Alexander, burgess. 1618
Burnet, Alexander, merchant in Abd. 1745-55
Burnett, Alexander, maltster, Abd. 1750
Burnet, Andrew, of Shethockisleyis. 1649-55
Burnet, John, of Elrick. 1736-41
Burnett, John, of Elrick. 1795-1808
Burnet, John, Poles, merchant, Abd. 1722
Burnet, John, Dalides, merchant in Abd. 1722
Burnet, John, of Dens. 1755
Burnet, John, merchant in Abd. 1729-35
Burnett, John, junior, merchant in Abd. 1727-45
Burnet, John, baillie, merchant, Abd. 1725
Burnett, Newell, advocate, Abd. 1840-61. 12 times
Burnett, Robert, mealseller. 1786-9
Burnett, Sir Thomas, of Leys. 1767
Burnett, Thomas, advocate. 1797, 1800 and 1836
Burnet, William, advocate, Abd. 1758-98

Campbell, Major Robert, of Cloghill. 1882-99
Campbell, Archibald, vintner. 1764
Cassie, Andrew, in Murker. 1679-81
Cassie, Andrew, in Old Abd. 1690-6
Cassie, Duncan, merchant in Old Abd. 1710
Cassie, George, in Cranboge. 1678
Cassie, James, of Quhytstrypis. 1630
Cassie, Thomas, in Balgownie. 1714-18
Cassie, Thomas, at Bridge of Don. 1718-20

Cassie, William, in Fechill. 1630
Catanach, Robert, merchant in Abd. 1729-31
Catanach, William, in Gilcomstone. 1690-7
Caulder, Alexander, of Aswanley. 1743
Chalmer, Alexander, burgess. 1618
Chalmer, Arthur, burgess of Abd. 1628-30
Chalmers, Charles, advocate, of Monkshill. 1830-55. 12 times
Chalmers, David, of Westburn. 1842-50
Chalmer, George, in Auld Abd. 1629
Chalmer, James, Portioner of Disblair. 1632
Chalmers, James Hay, advocate. 1856
Chalmer, John, in Auld Abd. 1628
Chalmers, Lewis, Fraserburgh. 1863
Chalmers, Patrick, of Oldwhat. 1655
Chalmers, Patrick, maltman, Abd. 1734-9
Chalmers, Patrick Henderson, advocate, Abd. 1875-86
Chalmer, Robert, farmer, Abd. 1716
Chalmers, Robert, in Froghall. 1706-10
Chalmer, William, younger, of Drimmies. 1652
Chapman, William, baxter, burgess, Abd. 1669-92
Charles, Alexander, advocate, Abd. 1735-6
Cheyne, Francis, in Tarves. 1628
Cheyne, Alexander, in Haltoun of Balhelvie. 1603
Cheyn, Patrick, in Old Abd. 1681 and 1690
Cheine, Patrick, in Keirthnie. 1649
Chrystie, James, fermer in Abd. 1690
Clark, Patrick, in Newburgh. 1670
Clerk, Alexander, at Damhead. 1705
Clerk, Andrew, in Robslaw. 1705
Clerk, John, junior, Clerk to the Justices of Peace. 1760
Clerk, John, in Nether Blair. 1650
Clerk, John, advocate, Abd. 1748-50
Clerk, John, of Kincardine. 1759-71
Cochran, Alexander, of Balfour, advocate in Abd. 1891
Cochran, F. J., of Balfour, advocate in Abd. 1841-69. 19 times
Cochrane, Johne, burges of Abd. 1603
Cok or Cock, Patrick, Mintla. 1650 and 1670
Collie, Alexander, in Skelmuir, 1652

Collie, George, of Balnagarth, advocate in Abd. 1890-1900
Collie, George, maltster, Abd. 1762-4
Cook, James M., advocate, Abd. 1809
Cooper, Patrick, advocate, Abd. 1880-1
Couper, John, indweller, Old Abd. 1690
Cowper, John, in Justice Milns. 1677
Cowper, John, in Clubsgovell. 1657
Cowper, William, in Cragie. 1656
Copland, Alexander, junior, of Tilliefour. 1748
Copland, Daniel, in Noram. 1763
Copland, Robert, farmer, Mill of Ardlethen, Ellon. 1870-82
Corbet, James, M.D., of Bieldside. 1884
Cormack, John, in Fiddesbeg. 1632
Coutes, Duncan, in Lochel. 1652
Craig, Alexander, in Clarkseat. 1670
Craig, Alexander, maltman, Abd. 1739
Craige, Arthur, in Sunnyside. 1666-70
Craig, John, baxter, Gilcomstone. 1690-1726. 19 times
Craige, Walter, baxter, Abd. (in 1670, baxter-burgess). 1667-70
Craigheid, Matthew, burgess, Abd. 1651
Crawford, Col. Henry, younger of Rothie. 1897
Crawfurd, Charles, at the Mill of Adizell. 1651
Crevie, John, in Seaton. 1697
Crombie, Alexander, advocate. 1793
Crombie, Alexander, of Phesdo. 1805-30. 21 times
Crombie, John, Balgownie Lodge. 1888-9
Crombie, Lewis, of Kirkhill. 1839
Cruickshank, Alexander, in Tocherfoord. 1749
Cruickshank (Crookshank, Crukitshank), **John,** maltman in Abd. 1710-32. 17 times
Cushney, Alexander, maltman, Abd. 1692-3 and 1710
Cushny, Alexander, at Bridgestone. 1739
Cushney, Alexander, in Newbridge. 1747
Cushny, John, in Tarbothill. 1721
Cumming or Cumine, James, of Breda. 1756-63
Cumine, Adam, of Rattray. 1828
Cuming, Alexander, burgess, Abd. 1632
Cuthbert, John, of Rosehall. 1725

Dalgardno, Arthur, burgess of Abd. (1669 Captain, 1676 at Barkmilne). 1657-76
Dalgardno, George, in Denis. 1630
Dalgardno, George, in Horscruik. 1666
Dalrymple, Charles Elphinstone, of Kinnellar. 1868
Daniel Mathew, farmer, Old Abd. 1704-5
Dason, James, merchant in Abd. 1744
Davidson, Alexander, portioner of Ardmakron. 1628
Davidson, Alexander, of Desswood, advocate in Aberdeen (1852, Mill of Kincardine). 1852-82. 14 times
Davidson, Alexander, of Newtoune. 1723
Davidson, Andrew, advocate in Abd. 1793-1814. 10 times
Davidson, Andrew, in Old Ferriehill (1714 Ferriehill). 1708-14
Davidson, Charles Brown, advocate in Abd. 1869
Davidson, Duncan, advocate in Aberdeen (1803-4 of Mill of Kincardine, 1806-12 of Tillychetly). 1801-12
Davidson, George, of Wellwood, Cults. 1895
Davidson, George, fermerer, Abd. 1682-91.
Davidson, George, in Abd. 1694
Davidson, James, maltman or maltster, Abd. 1721-32; 1726, merchant
Davidson, John, in Couperston. 1747
Davidson, John, of Tillethro. 1789
Davidsone, John, in Fintray. 1668
Davidson, John, of Kebattie. 1793-1816. 11 times
Davidsone, Patrick, in Justice Milnes. 1677
Davidson, Patrick, advocate (1849 and after, of Inchmarlo). 1838-56
Davidson, Robert, baxter. 1681-2
Davidson, Robert, late of Leyton, residing in Abd. 1808-21
Davidsone, Thomas, in Belhelvie. 1670
Dempster, Henrie, burgess of Abd. 1666
Dingwall, John, of Rainieston 1759
Dingwall, John, of Ardo. 1810. [Provost of Aberdeen, 1799-1800]
Divertie, James, maltman in Old Abd. 1708
Donald, William, baker. 1773-80
Donald, William, baxter, Abd. 1695-1704 and 1721
Donald, William, in Ruthrastoun. 1705-6
Donaldson, John, in Kemnay. 1720
Douglas, Francis, baxter, Abd. 1744-7
Douglas, James, baxter, Abd. 1691-1705

Dovertie (Diverty, Divertie and Divorty), James, at Bridge of Don. 1680-95
Dovertie, William, in [?] Blairmounie. 1628
Douglass, A. Forbes, factor, Haddo House. 1881-6
Drum, James, in Whytstrypes. 1690
Drum, James, in Grandhome. 1666
Drum (or Dunn), Richard in Perslie. 1656 and 1679
Drum, Richard, in Sklattie. 1655
Duff, Adam, of Ludquharn. 1776-88. [Provost of Aberdeen, 1774-5] 12 times
Duff, Adam, of Stocket. 1767
Duff, Alexander, baxter in Aberdeen. 1701-1704
Duff, Garden Alexander, of Hatton. 1884-98
Duff, George (not designed). 1669
Duff, John, of Hatton. 1779-80
Duff, Patrick, of Premnay. 1725-7
Duff, Joseph R. S., of Corsindae. 1853-61
Duff, William, baxter, Abd. 1729
Duffis, Henry, in Abd. 1649
Duguid, James, conveener in Old Abd. 1710-11
Duguid, Peter, advocate, Abd. 1868-73
Duncan, Alexander, merchant. 1826
Duncan, James, in Seaton. 1713
Duncan, John, in Brae of Pitfodels. 1681
Duncan, John, baxter, Abd. 1742
Duncan, John, of Tillyfour. 1753
Duncan, John, of Mostown. 1765-80. [Provost of Aberdeen, 1758-9 and afterwards.]
Duncan, Robert, maltster. 1775 merchant, 1785 do., 1786 senior, merchant. 1764-86. 16 times
Duncan, Thomas, in Abd. 1670
Duncan, William, of Etrechie (? Artrochie). 1730-45
Duncan, William, baxter, Abd. 1714-27
Duncan, William, burgess of Abd. 1631
Dun, Alexander, of Tarty. 1724
Dunn, John, in Perslie. 1669
Durno, John, younger, of Catie. 1764-5
Durno, John, of Cattie, 1771-96. 15 times
Durward, Patrick, baker, Abd. 1758-77. 13 times
Durward, William, in Mid Gilcomstone. 1741-7

Duthie, Alexander, advocate. 1774
Duthie, Alexander, of Ruthrieston. 1776-90
Duthie, John, of Cairnbulg. 1897
Duthie, Robert, merchant, 1832-3
Duthie, Robert, of Ruthrieston. 1835-6
Duthie, William, advocate. 1841
Duthie, William, Collynie, Tarves. 1894-6
Dyce, Alexander, feuar of Stocket. 1753
Dyce, James, of Disblair. 1748-9
Dyce, James, merchant, Abd. 1725

Eason, James, of Little Tillyeve. 1752
Edmond, Alexander, advocate. 1881-90
Edmond, Francis, of Kingswells, advocate in Abd. 1865-80. 13 times
Edmond, James, advocate in Abd. 1855-69
Elmsley, George, of Woodside. 1865
Elphinston, John, merchant, Abd. 1736
Erskine, Thomas, of Pittoddrie. 1725
Esslemont, William, baker. 1783-4
Etershank, James, burgess of Abd. 1666-8

Farqrson, Alexander, of Monaltry. 1723-29
Farquharson, Andrew, of Whitehouse. 1863-66
Farquharson, Archibald, of Finzean, 1815
Farqrson, Charles, in Lairshill. 1731
Farquharson, Francis, son to the Laird of Monaltry. 1730
Farquharson, George Campbell, younger, of Whitehouse. 1835
Farquharson, Hary, of Sheels. 1734
Farqrson, John, in Kirktown of Aboyne. 1655
Farquharson, John, of Haughton. 1827-34
Farquharson, Peter, of Whitehouse. 1807-31. 16 times
Farquharson, R. F. O., of Haughton. 1866-78
Farquharson, William, of Monaltrie. 1814
Farqr, Alexander, burgess of Abd. 1657
Farquhar, George, burgess of Abd. 1656
Farquhar, Dr. Thomas, of Auchronie. 1886-9
Ferguson, Andrew, maltman in Abd. 1700-1
Ferguson, James, of Altens, advocate in Abd. 1841-54
Ferguson, James, of Kinmundy. 1838

Fergusone (Fergowsone), William, in Gilcomstoun. 1632
Fergusone, William, in Gilcomstoune. 1667-81
Ferguson, William, in Robslaw. 1677
Ferguson, William, of Kinmundy. 1875-1900. 21 times
Ferqr, Patrick, burgess of Abd. 1628
Fiddes, James, in Old Abd. (sometimes merchant). 1691-1701
Fiddes, James, farmer in Old Abd. 1704-5
Findlay, Alex., in Gerse. 1699
Fisher, Basil, residing at Devanha. 1828-30
Fisher, William, Devanha. 1836-7
Folla, Alexander, in Frosterhill. 1631
Forbes, Alexander, Lochermick, merchant, Abd., 1722 signs "Junior," afterwards "of Lochermick." 1722-37. 10 times
Forbes, Alexander, of Easter Myle. 1696
Forbes, Sir Alexander, of Foveran. 1740-5
Forbes, Alexander, of Ainslie. 1835-40
Forbes, Alexander, of Blackfoord. 1737
Forbes, Alexander, sometime of Thanestoune. 1603
Forbes, Arthur, in Towy. 1651
Forbes, Charles, of Shivas. 1737
Forbes, Charles, of Sheels. 1737-46
Forbes, Duncan, of Balgownie. 1875-8
Forbes, George, of Artrochie. 1724
Forbes, George, baker, Abd. 1750-60
Forbes, George, of Ledmacoy, 1753-70
Forbes, Henry David, of Balgownie. 1828-46. 14 times
Forbes, Hugh, of Shivas. 1774
Forbes, James, of Echt. 1835
Forbes, James, baxter, Abd. 1690-6
Forbes, James Ochonchar, of Corse. 1868-71
Forbes, James, commissioner, Balmoral. 1897
Forbes, John, of Blackfoord. 1790-1823
Forbes, Sir John, Bart., of Craigievar. 1842-3.
Forbes, John, of Upper Boyndlie. 1804-41
Forbes, John, of Ladysfoord. 1803
Forbes, John, of Alford. 1740-3
Forbes, J. C. M. Ogilvie, of Boyndlie. 1894-6
Forbes, John, maltman. 1719-47. 13 times

Gordon, Charles, of Wardhouse. 1788
Gordon, Charles, advocate. 1795-1827. 15 times
Gordon, Charles, of Buthlaw. 1725-45
Gordon, Charles Thomas, of Cairness. 1891-7
Gordon, Francis, of Miln of Kincardine. 1742-4
Gordon, George, in Cultes 1628
Gordon, George, in Newhills. 1656
Gordon, George, of Ranieshill. 1724-8
Gordon, George, junior, merchant, Abd. 1749
Gordon, Henry, of Manar. 1878-86
Gordon, H. G. Fellowes, of Knockespock. 1891-3
Gordon, Hew, in Rhynie. 1655
Gordon, James, burgess of Abd. 1632
Gordon, James, Ardmellie, merchant in Abd. 1719-24
Gordon, Dr. James, younger, of Hilton. 1734
Gordon, James, of Hilton. 1743-46
Gordon, James F. Gordon Shirreffs, of Craig. 1883-6
Gordon, James, of Banchory. 1726-45. 14 times
Gordon, James, of Manar. 1859-71
Gordon, John, of Craigmile. 1798-1824. 24 times.
Gordon, John, of Murtle. 1794-99
Gordon, Dr. John, phisitian in Abd. 1726
Gordon, John, of Nethermuir 1810
Gordon, John, of Kinnellar, merchant in Abd. 1720-9
Gordon, John, Thesaurer of Abd. 1720-22
Gordon, John, Dean of Guild. 1723
Gordon, John, Lesmoir, merchant in Abd. 1719-20
Gordon, John, merchant. 1719
Gordon, John, elder, merchant in Abd. 1719-20
Gordon, John, of Craig. 1730-58
Gordon, John, in Kingseat. 1649
Gordon, John, burgess, Abd. (also designed "elder"). 1669-78
Gordon, Lewis, of Auchmull. 1739-42
Gordoun, Patrick, of Gordonsmills. 1628 and 1631
Gordon, Peter, younger of Avachie. 1757-70
Gordon, Richard, of Craigmile. 1744-62
Gordon, Thomas, of Premnay, also of Sheelagreen. 1796-1802
Gordon, Major Thomas, of Clerkseat. 1728

Gordoun, William, of Cottoun. 1628
Gordon, William, in Culter. 1630
Gordon, William, in Auld Abd. 1665
Gordon, Captain William, younger, of Parkhill. 1823
Gormek, John or Robert (not designed). 1650
Grant, David R. Lyall, of Kingsford. 1860-76
Grant, James, advocate. 1816-27
Grant, James, in Old Ferryhill. 1746
Grant, John, of Rothmaes. 1749
Grant, Robert, of Druminner. 1789-94
Grant, Robert, of Druminner. 1814-31 15 times
Grant, Robert, of Druminnor. 1861
Gray, Alexander, merchant, Abd. 1737
Gray, John, baxter in Old Abd. 1678-93
Gray, John, burgess of Abd. 1603
Gray, Robert, farmer in Murcar. 1701-8
Gray, William, in Boigfarly. 1629
Gray, William, in Ferriehill. 1692-1703
Gray, William, maltman in Abd. 1708
Gregorie, David, maltman in Old Abd. 1708-15
Grig, James, in Fiddes. 1632
Grig, John, in Old Abd. 1699

Hadden, Martin L., of Binghill. 1896
Hall, James, fermor, also burgess, Abd. 1655-65
Hamilton, George, of Skene. 1887.
Hardie, David, maltman in Abd. 1699
Harrow, Alexander, in Abd. 1651
Harvey, James, of Potterton. 1866
Harvie, William, in Hillhead of Seaton. 1716
Harvy, William, at Bridge of Don 1712
Harvie or Hervie, Alexander, maltster. 1768-73
Hatt, Alexander, in Justice Mills. 1677
Hatt, Alexander, in Old Abd., also maltman. 1678-81
Hatt, William, maltman in Old Abd. (1704 farmer, sometimes "in Old Abd.") 1700-13. 13 times
Hay, Alexander, in Hardgate. 1747
Hay, Alexander, of Ranniestoune. 1724

Hay, General Alexander, of Rannes. 1827
Hay, Lieutenant-Colonel A., of Rannes. 1791
Hay, James, of Monkshill. 1812
Hay, James, at Miln of Fiddes. 1740
Hay, James, farmer, Little Ythsie, Tarves. 1890-1901
Hay, John, of Auquharney. 1727
Henderson, Andrew, in Longcairne. 1656
Henderson, George, clerk at the flour mill of Abd. 1809
Henderson, John, of Caskiebain. 1798-1806
Henderson, Richard, in Shevado. 1751.
Henrie, Gilbert, burgess of Abd. 1603.
Henry, John, of Corse. 1835
Herron, James, baxter in Abd. 1704-5
Herron, Thomas, maltman in Old Abd. 1704-5
Hervie, Alexander, maltman in Abd. 1649
Hervie, James, of Mamewlie. 1652
Hervy, James, baxter in Abd. 1705
Hervy, William, in Hillhead. 1709
Hill, James, in Spittal. 1668
Hog, James, maltman in Abd. 1696-1705
Hog, John, in Robslaw. 1691
Hog or Bog, Patrick, in Alford. 1652
Hoig, Wm., burgess, Abd. 1632
Hogarth, George, of Firhill, 1810
Horn, James, of Pitmedden. 1862
Horne, James, maltman, Abd. 1722
Horne, James, baxter, Abd. 1722-28
Houstone, Alexander, in Clerkseat. 1691-93
Houstone, Alexander, in Keethocksmiln. 1679
Humphrey, John, of Pitmedden. 1853-4
Humphrey, John, of Comalegy. 1851-8
Hunter, Andrew, baxter, Old Abd. 1724-38
Hunter, Andrew, in Hiltoune. 1691
Hunter, Andrew, in Pitmuckstoun. 1708-9
Hunter, George, Old Abd. 1681-90
Hunter, Patrick, maltman in Abd. 1718-22
Hunter, William Chambers, of Tillerey. 1826
Hunter, William C., of Tillery. 1863

Hutcheon, David, advocate. 1806
Hutcheon, Hugh, advocate (1801 "of Broadford"). 1794-1802
Hutcheon, John, of Gask, merchant, Turriff. 1898-1900

Innes, Alexander, chamerlen of Balhelvie. 1652
Innes, Alexander, baxter, Abd. 1667
Innes, Alexander, of Clerkseat. 1754-89. 25 times
Innes, Alexander, advocate. 1771. (? Clerkseat)
Innes, Alexander, of Breda. 1776-86
Innes, Lieutenant-Colonel F. N., of Learney. 1895
Innes, Thomas, chamberlen to Earl Panemuer. 1678
Innes, Thomas, at Bridge of Don. 1710
Innes, Thomas, of Lairney. 1861-72
Irvine, Alexander, of Pitmuckstoun. 1738-47
Irvine, Alexander, Culter. 1831-5
Irvine, Alexander, baxter. 1714-27
Irvine, John, common brewer, Old Abd. 1809
Irving, Francis, (not designed, probably burgess). 1665-9
Irving, Francis, servitor to the Ladie Drum. 1668
Irving, Francis, maltman. 1668
Irving, Robert, at Gordonsmiln. 1657
Irving, Robert, burgess of Abd. 1667

Jamesone, Robert, of Tillikeirie. 1629
Jamieson, George, of Rosebank. 1869-70. [Lord Provost, 1874-9.]
Jamieson, Thomas Francis, farmer, Mains of Waterton, Ellon. 1870-89. 19 times
Jeans, William, in Old Abd. (variously designed farmer, maltman, merchant. 1697-1716
Johnstoun, Alexander, in Ferihill. 1669
Johnston, George, in Tersits. 1657
Johnstone, Gilbert, maltman in Abd. 1649-77
Johnston, James, in Innerebrie. 1657
Johnston, John, in Overtilligony. 1652
Johnstone, Patrick, in Lochel. 1652
Johnston, Brigade Surgeon Lieutenant-Colonel William, of Newton Dee. 1894
Johnston, Sir William Bacon, of Hilton. 1863
Johnston, William, of Badiefurrow. 1743-61. 10 times
Johnstone, William, maltman, Abd. 1738-55

Jopp, Alexander, advocate. 1836-65. 16 times
Jopp, Andrew, advocate. 1798-1827. 24 times
Jopp, James, of Cotton. 1789 and 1792. [Provost of Aberdeen, 1768-9 and afterwards]

Keith, George Strachan, of Auquorsk. 1767-75
Keith, George, of Auchreddie. 1652
Keith, Gilbert, in Leyludg. 1656
Keith, James, of Kinadie. 1656
Keith, James, of Keithfield. 1729-31
Keith, Robert, of Strathy. 1652
Kellie, Andrew, burgess of Abd. 1619
Kelly, John, baxter in Abd. 1713
Kellie, William, maltman, Abd. 1716-48
Kempt, John, baxter. 1603
Kemp, Robert, grain merchant, 1842-3
Kennedy, David Henderson, advocate. 1855 and 1859
Kennedy, James, fermorer in Abd. 1666
Kennedy, William, advocate. 1812-16
Kennie or Kenny, John, baxter, burgess, Abd. 1665-79
Ker, Alexander, of Meanie. 1728
Kilgour, James, of Bethelnie. 1837-41
Kilgour, Thomas, of Bethelnie. 1825
Kilgour, W. T., of Tulloch. 1890-3
Knowles, James, of Kirkhill. 1824

Laing, George, in Old Abd. (1702 fermorer). 1695-1704. 11 times
Laing, James, mealseller. 1783-91
Laird, William, fermorer in Abd. 1678
Law, John, advocate. 1806-8
Leang, John, burgess of Abd. 1603
Leask, William (not designed). 1650
Ledingham, Robert, advocate. 1853
Lege (Leg or Legg), maltman in Abd. 1731-44
Leiklie, John (not designed). 1682
Leith, Alexander, of Freefield, 1863 (? and Glenkindie)
Leith, Alexander H., of Glenkindie. 1893
Leith, Andrew, in Robslaw. 1667

Leythe, John, son of John Leythe of Quhythauch. 1628
Leith, John, baxter in Auld Abd. 1665-7
Leith, John, baxter. 1690
Leith, William, fermorer. 1682
Leith, William, at Windmill. 1691
Leslie, George Arbuthnot, of Warthill. 1887-8
Leslie, Hugh Fraser, of Powis. 1851-8
Leslie, Hugh, of Powies. 1796
Leslie, John, of Colpny Shiels. 1682
Leslie, John, of Nether Asleid. 1747-52
Leslie, William, of Nethermuir. 1875-7. [Lord Provost, 1869-73]
Leslie, William, of Drumrossie. 1855
Leslie, William, in Ruthristoun. 1657
Leslie, William, of Warthill. 1825-35
Leslie, William, of Warthill. 1857-72
Leys, Francis, of Glasgowforrest. 1779 and 1785
Leys, Thomas, of Glasgow Forrest. 1793 and 1800. [Provost of Aberdeen 1797-8.]
Ligertwood, James, of Tillyrye (or Tillerey, Tillerye). 1767-86. 15 times
Lidgertwood, William, in Wester Disblair. 1655
Lindsay, David, baxter, Abd. (1728 styled maltman). 1725-32
Lindsay, John, mealseller. 1787-98
Lindsay, William, burgess of Abd. 1651
Lintoun, Andrew, fermerer. 1682
Lintoune, Andrew, in Montheillie (Montheilly, Monthulie, Monthillie). 1699-1713. 12 times
Lintoun, James, fermerer. 1682
Leiwingstoun, William, in Corsinday. 1618
Livingston, Alexander, of Counteswells. 1761. [Provost of Aberdeen 1750-1]
Littlejohn, George G., farmer, Wellhouse, Alford. 1899
Logie, Andrew, of Bonnytown. 1657
Logie, Thomas, in Old Abd. 1680-1
Lorimer, William, baxter. 1695-1709. 15 times
Lorymer, William, of Boddwmis. 1603
Lovie, Alexander, farmer, Nether Boyndlie. 1898-1900
Low, Alexander, at the Mylne of Feddret. 1619
Lyall, John, maltman. 1719

Lyell, John, in Ferriehill. 1651
Lumsden, Alexander, advocate. 1765-74
Lumsden, Alexander, of Broadford. 1775
Lumsden, Alexander, maltman, Abd. 1667-76
Lumsden, Alexander, younger, maltman. 1665-82
Lumsden, Clements, advocate, Abd. 1834-50
Lumsden, Hary, advocate. 1788-98
Lumsden, Hary, of Belhelvie. 1801-31. 29 times
Lumsden, Harry Leith, of Auchindoir. 1823 and 1838
Lumsden, Henry, of Pitcaple. 1874-7
Lumsden, Henry, of Tillwhilly. 1838-42
Lumsden, H. Gordon, of Auchindoir. 1880-5
Lumsden, Henry, of Auchindoir. 1843-50
Lumsden, James F., advocate in Abd. 1897
Lumsden, John, of Cushnie. 1785-92
Lumsden, John, in Scotstown. 1805-10
Lumsden, John, farmer at Eggie. 1825-31
Lumsden, Robert, in Drumnahoove. 1722
Lumsden, William, maltman in Abd. 1716
Lumsden, William H., of Balmedie. 1880-96
Lumsden, William James, of Balmedie. 1854-7

McCombie, H. D., farmer, Milton of Kemnay. 1898
McCombie, James Boyn, of Jellybrands, advocate in Abd. 1846-60
McCombie, Thomas, of Easter Skene. 1818 and 1819
McCombie, William, Tillyfour. 1860
McCombie, William, of Easter Skene. 1866-71
Mackenzie (generally McKenzie), Alexander Baxter, Abd. 1737-65. 13 times.
McKenzie, James William, of Pittrichie. 1824-33
McKenzie, John, merchant, Abd. 1756
McKinnon, Lauchlan, junior, advocate, Abdn. 1857-84
Macdonald, Ranald, factor for Cluny Estates, Abd. 1891-6
Mackie, Adam, writer. 1790
Mackie, George, maltster. 1771
Mackie, George, meallseller. 1772
Mackie, James, maltman in Abd. 1734-63. 12 times
Mackie, William, mealseller. 1774-85. 10 times
Macqueen, John O., S.S.C. 1894

Mair, John, merchant, Abd. 1738
Mairtin, William, maltman in Old Abd. 1708
Maitland, Alexander, maltman in Old Abd. 1708
Maitland, John, maltman, Abd. 1738 and 1744
Manson, John, of Fingask, 1864-72. (1872 banker, Abd.)
Manson, J. B., of Kilblean, Meldrum. 1892-5
Marnoch, James, in Old Abd. 1694
Marnoch, William, in Old Abd. 1679-81
Marnoch, William, maltman in Abd. 1697
Marr, Andrew, in Cuikstoun. 1632
Marr, George, merchant in Abd. 1718-33. 13 times
Mar, John, heritor in Hardgate. 1718
Mar, William, in Drummoak. 1722
Marquis, George, accountant, Abd. 1853-69. 15 times
Marshall (or Mershall), Thomas, burgess of Abd. 1657-68
Martine, Alexander, maltman in Abd. 1740
Martin, Robert, baker, Abd. 1759 and 1766
Masson, Alexander, vintner. 1781-5. (Innkeeper, 1785.)
Mason, James, baker, Abd. 1776 and 1780
Measone, Alexander, baxter. 1695
Masone, James, in Old Abd. (sometimes maltman), also at Tilliedrone Hill and in Tillidron. 1690-1705. 18 times
Meason, Samuel, burgess of Abd. 1631
Meason, Thomas, maltman in Old Abd. 1705
Matthews, James, of Springhill. 1886 92. [Lord Provost, 1883-85]
Meldrum, Robert, in Rothie. 1649
Meldrum, William, at the Mill of Inshe. 1649
Menzies, Robert, in Gelcomston. 1669
Menzies, William, at Miln of Gilcomstone. 1705-34 (generally "in Gilcomstone," 1722 and 1723 "in Nether Gilcomstone.") 21 times
Merser, William, in Abd. 1649
Merser, William, in Auchrony. 1651
Meston, James, accountant, Abd. 1864-90. 25 times
Midders, John, maltster, also merchant. 1767-72
Middletoune, John, burgess of Abd. 1632
Middleton, John, of Shiels. 1742
Middletoun, Robert, in Sauchin. 1618
Middleton, William, younger, of Shiels. 1737

Midleton, William, of Shiels. 1751
Milne, Alexander, maltman in Old Abd. 1704-18
Milne, Alexander, merchant. 1788
Miln, Alexander, junior, merchant, Abd. 1757
Milne, Alexander, of Pitrichie. 1842-9
Milne, Alexander, of Crimmonmoggat. 1778-87
Miln, Alexander, baker. 1767-73
Milne, George, in Countesswals. 1665
Mylne, George, in Badichell. 1630
Milne, George, of Kinaldie. 1861
Milne, Gilbert, in Countesswals. 1665
Milne (or Miln), James, maltman in Old Abd. 1698-1718. 13 times
Milne, James, of Kinaldie. 1887-99
Milne, James, junior, C.A., Aberdeen. 1900
Milne, John, farmer, Mains of Laithers, Turriff. 1870-1900. 26 times
Milne, Patrick, of Crimonmoggat. 1790-1811. 11 times
Milne, Patrick, maltman in Abd. 1716 and 1719
Milne, Patrick, writer in Abd. 1716-21
Miln, William, in Rogershill. 1752
Milne, William, in Ferriehill. 1668-70
Milne, William, laberer in Abd. 1676
Milne, William, at Bridgston. 1676-91
Milne, William, mealseller. 1809
Milne, William, accountant, Abd. 1866-87. 17 times
Mitchell, Alexander, merchant. 1772-99 (of Deskrie from 1782-91). 14 times
Mitchell, Alexander, of Colpnay. 1732
Mitchell, Duncan Forbes, of Thainston. 1784-95
Mitchell, Duncan Forbes, of Thainston. 1853-68
Mitchell, George, in Bucharne. 1651
Mitchell, John, tacksman, of Bendauch. 1812 and 1813
Mitchell, John Forbes, of Thainston. 1874 and 1880
Mitchell, John, maltman in Abd. 1603
Mitchell, Robert, merchant, Abd. 1737
Mitchell, Robert, of Logierieve. 1897-1900
Mitchell, Thomas, messenger. 1651
Mitchell, W. A., farmer, Auchnagathle. 1899-1900
Mitchell, William, in Spittal (Spithill, Spitthill). 1690-1717. 22 times
Moir, Alexander, of Scotstoun. 1723 and 1729

Moir, Alexander, of Scotstown. 1793 and 1794
Moir, George, of Scotstown. 1751-76. 10 times
Moir, George, miller, Old Abd. 1678
Moir, George, of Denmore. 1832 and 1833
Moir, James, in Ferriehill, also of Ferriehill. 1667-78
Moir, James, younger, of Stonywood. 1723
Moir, James of Stonywood. 1739
Moir (also Moor and Muir), Robert, merchant in Abd. 1720-33
Moir, William, in Caberstoun. 1655
Moir, William, in Slipiehillock. 1690.
Moir, William, burgess, now in Ferihill. 1629
Moir, William, of Ferrihill. 1655
Moir, William, of Ferryhill. 1730-48
Mole, George, merchant. 1802
Molyson (or Mollyson), Alexander, of Glasgowego. 1723 and 1726
Mollyson, John, merchant, Abd. 1738
Molyson, William, of Glasgoego (in 1731 younger). 1731-43
Muntcroof (also Moncrieff), David, baxter, Abd. 1738 and 1742
Morice, David, advocate. 1773-7, (In 1777 "senior")
Morice, David, junior, advocate. 1784-88
Morice, David Robert, advocate. 1846-62
Mories (Morrice, Morice) John (in 1750 baker), baxter, Abd. 1734-68. 24 times
Morison, Alexander, of Bogny. 1771-2
Morison, Robert, baker, Abd. 1759
Morison, Colonel F. de Lemaire, of Bognie. 1897
Mortimer, William, in Logiedurnoch. 1619
Mosman, Thomas, advocate, Abd. 1737-72 (in and after 1753 "of Middle field" 21 times
Mouat, John, malster, Abd. 1732
Mouat, John, merchant, Abd. 1718
Mowat, James, in Ruthriestoun. 1711
Mowat, John, merchant, Abd. 1733
Mowat, John, maltman, Abd. 1744
Mowat, William, mealseller. 1769
Mowat, William, maltman. 1719
Mowtray, Robert, of Clubisgovill. 1603
Murdoch, George, mealseller. 1774
Muir, Alexander, of Loirston. 1840

Murisone, John, at the Brig of Done. 1651
Murison, Wm., Sheriff Clerk Depute. 1881
Murray, Alexander, at Bowbridge. 1691
Murray, Andrew, advocate, Abd. 1841-58
Murray, James, advocate, Abd. 1840-55
Murray, James, of North Inveramsay. 1890-1900
Murray, James Adamson, C.A., Abd. 1870-6
Murray, Patrick, in Robslaw. 1667-81

Nairne, David, in Old Abd. 1690
Nicoll, James, maltster. 1777-82
Nicol, William, advocate, Abd. 1758-63
Nicolsone, Andrew, in Peterheid. 1629
Niven, John, of Thornton. 1798-1820. 16 times
Niven, William, maltman in Old Abd. 1712 and 1713

Ogg (also Og), James, maltman, Abd. 1697-1703
Ogg, William Frederick, advocate, Abd. 1876
Ogilvie, Alexander, maltman, Abd. 1682-91
Ogilvie, Alexander, of Achiries. 1770 and 1771
Ogston, James, of Kildrummy. 1899
Ord, David, laborer in Abd. 1676
Ord, David, indweller. 1691
Ord, John, burgess of Abd. 1657
Ord, William, burgess in Abd. 1650

Paton, John, of Grandhome 1724
Paton, John, of Grandhome. 1791 and 1793
Panton, Henry, burgess in Abd. 1665
Patrie, Henry, burgess of Abd. 1603
Partridge, William, Ardmurdo. 1863 and 1864
Patersone, Thomas, in Monymusk. 1619
Paul, John, at Dyce. 1817-27
Paul, William, advocate, Abd. 1865
Paull, James, in Cuperstoune. 1681
Paull, James, in Ferihill. 1667
Pedder, John, wryter in Abd. 1710
Peirie, James, in Pottertoune. 1678

Pirie, Alexander, of Watertown. 1837
Pirie, Alexander C., of Echt. 1899
Pirie, F. Logie, of Waterton. 1888
Pirie, William, merchant. 1816
Pirie, William, of Cotton. 1818
Polson, John, Old Abd. 1817-27
Pyper, William, of Hillhead. 1882-98

Rainie, James, milnard, Abd. 1665
Rait, Alexander, maltman, Old Abd. 1680
Rait, Andrew, chalmerlane to the Laird Pittfoddells. 1651
Rait, Andrew, burgess of Abd. 1657
Rait, Andrew, in Justice Milnes. 1667-95
Raite, James, maltman, Abd. 1690
Rait, James, at Tanfield Farm. 1776
Rait, W. (not designed). 1650
Raite, William, fermerer. 1682
Raite, William, in Ferriehill. 1714
Ramsay, James, advocate. 1763
Ramsay, John, of Barra. 1790-1829
Ramsay, John, of Barra. 1867
Ray, W., advocate. 1618
Read, William, merchant, Abd. 1818-37. 11 times
Reid, Alexander, younger, of Barra. 1722
Reid, James, in Petbla. 1629
Reid, James, at Meadowbank. 1829-35
Reid, Sir James, of Barra. 1752-7
Reid, John, in Spittell. 1680
Reid, Thomas, maltster, Abd. 1733
Reid, Walter, accountant, Abd. 1886-96
Reid, William Leslie, advocate in Abd. 1870-4
Reid, William, merchant in Abd. 1727
Reith, George, merchant in Abd. 1721-3
Rickart, John, of Auchnacant, 1735
Ritchie, John, maltman, Abd. 1676-81
Ritchie, William, of Forrest. 1791
Robb, George, of Pittrichie. 1872-5
Robertsone, Andrew, in Blakhillok. 1630

Robertson, Andrew, Indego. 1863
Robertson, Andrew, of Foveran. 1782-97. (In 1755 designed younger of Pitmillan)
Robertson, Andrew, brewer, Abd. 1782-3
Robertson, Andrew, merchant, Abd. 1784-7
Robertsone, George, maltman in Abd. 1676
Robertson, James, in Maidincraig. 1666
Robertson, James, at Walten or Walton, Newhills. 1817-23
Robertson, John, of Pitmillen, 1729-63. [Provost, 1736-7] 14 times
Robertson, John, advocate. 1856-89. 12 times
Robertsone, Peter, in Robslaw. 1691
Robertson, Thomas, of Ardo. 1756
Robertson, William Forbes, of Hazlehead. 1836
Robertsone, William, burgess of Abd. 1629
Robertsone, William, in Duncanstone. 1652
Robertson, William, in Tilliedron. 1709-18. (In 1716 "maltman in Old Abd.") 13 times
Ross, Alexander, advocate. 1842-65
Ross, Hugh, baxter, Abd. 1734
Ross, James, in Drum. 1657
Ross, John Leith, of Arnage. 1826
Ross, John, feuar of Gilcomston. 1753
Ross, John, writer. 1774
Ross, John, baker. 1790-1800
Ross, William, maltster, Abd. 1749-62
Russel, Alexander, of Montcoffer. 1743
Russel, Alexander, of Moncoffer. 1807

Sandilands, James, of Crabston. 1731
Sandilands, John, of Craibstoun. 1725
Sandilands, Patrick, merchant. 1778-87
Sangster, Alexander, in Hillbrae. 1700
Sangster, George, manufacturer. 1826
Sangster, James, merchant, Abd. 1739
Sangster, Patrick, in Abd. also Gelcomstoune. 1676-81
Sangster, Thomas, advocate. 1825
Sangster, William, fermer, Old Abd. 1690-7
Scot, Alexander, maltman, Abd. 1743-65. 15 times

Scott, Alexander, junior, maltster, Abd. 1763-4
Scott, George, in Slaynes. 1656
Scott, James, grain dealer, Abd. 1816
Scrogie, Robert, burgess of Abd. 1657
Seatoune (Seatone, Seaton, Seattoun, Setton, Seton), John, in Spithill or Spittall. 1694 to 1721. 28 times
Seton, Sir William Coote, Bart., of Pitmedden. 1867
Seton, Colonel Sir W. S., Bart., of Pitmedden. 1895.
Sengzeor, William, burgess in Abd. 1619
Shand, Arthur, at Westhall. 1759
Shand, Robert, advocate. 1840
Sharp, William, fermorer, Abd. 1665
Shepherd, George, merchant, Abd. 1732-45
Shepherd, George, farmer, Shethin. 1899
Shepherd, James, of Aldie, Cruden. 1871-4
Shepherd, William, in Teuchar. 1805
Shirras, James, maltman, Abd. 1744 and 1758
Shirras, John, maltman, Abd. 1744
Shirrefs, Alexander, of Auccharney. 1804
Shirrefs, Alexander, advocate. 1806-15
Silie, John, gardener, in Old Abd. 1710-11
Silbie (or Silvie), , in Old Abd. 1714-15
Sim, George, merchant. 1788-98
Sim, James, of Stockethill. 1862-9
Sim, John, in Fintray. 1649
Sim, John, at Mill of Ferryhill. 1784
Sim, John, clerk to the Gilcomston brewerie. 1795-1802
Simpson, Alexander, of Concraig. 1723
Simpson, Andrew, of Collie Hill (Colleyhill). 1797-1801
Simpson, Robert, in Craighall. 1656
Simpson, Robert, of Cobairdy. 1861-6
Simpson, William, senior, merchant in Abd. 1727
Simpson, William, junior, merchant in Abd. 1729 and 1732
Simpson, William, of Glenythan. 1840
Simson (Simsone, Simpson), William, merchant in Abd. 1719-23
Sinclair, James Augustus, accountant (afterwards 16th Earl of Caithness). 1856-61
Skeen, Andrew, of Pitmuckston. 1723
Skene, Andrew, of Lethenty. 1725

Skene, George, Rubislaw. 1725
Skene, George, of Rubislaw. 1766
Skene, John, of Dyce, 1740-1
Skene, John Gordon Cumming, of Pitlurg. 1864-80
Skene, Major William, Newton of Skene. 1819-20
Skene, William Gordon Cumming, of Pitlurg and Dyce. 1834
Skeyn, Robert, in Tilliebirlach. 1631
Sluders, or Sliders, John, merchant in Old Abd. 1710
Smith, Alexander, of Blairdaff. 1722-46
Smith, Alexander, of New Bridge. 1743 and 1746
Smith, Alexander, maltman in Abd. 1681-91
Smith, Alexander, of Glenmillan, advocate in Abd. 1841-4
Smith, Andrew, in Pervinnes. 1678
Smith, Gavin Mitchell, of Concraig. 1837 and 1838
Smith, George, farmer in Old Abd. 1701-6
Smith, George, innkeeper, 1780
Smith, James, mealseller. 1807
Smith, James, maltman, Abd. 1741
Smith, James, farmer in Old Abd. 1701-5
Smith, James, maltman in Abd. 1710-23
Smith, John, in Ord. 1655
Smith, John, at the Mill of Gilqumstone. 1668
Smith, John, in Wardsyde. 1698
Smith, John, in Seatoune. 1690-1707. 13 times
Smith, John, maltman in Old Abd. 1699-1708
Smith, John, maltman in Abd. 1721
Smith, John, junior, advocate (afterwards John Smith). 1836-67. 17 times
Smith, Neil, of Bogfouton, merchant, Abd. 1837-1860
Smith, Patrick, of Inveramsay. 1727
Smith, Robert, at New Bridge of Ferriehill. 1706-9
Smith, Robert, of Glenmillan, advocate. 1850-74
Smith, Thomas, in Scottistoun. 1656
Smyth, William, in Ardgrain. 1632
Smith, William, in Abd. 1668
Smith, William, in Outseat of Pitmuckstoun. 1705-8
Smith, William, in Kethocksmiln. 1710
Smith, William, in Gilcomstone. 1713
Smyth, John, in Pettindrum. 1619

Souter, John, in Old Abd. 1716
Speid, John, merchant and burgess, Abd. 1677-82
Spens, Alexander (not designed). 1650
Spottiswood, Robert S. Farquhar, of Muiresk, advocate in Abd. 1857-69
Steiven, John, Old Abd. 1681
Stephen, James, farmer, Conglass, Inverurie. 1870
Steven, John, tenant in Kinmundy. 1757
Stevens, Robert, of Broadland. 1760-84
Stewin, Andrew, burgess of Abd. 1629-32
Steuart, James, elder, burgess of Abd. 1603
Steuart, John, farmer at Anguston. 1828-34
Stewart, Robert, of Inverchatt. 1678
Still, Alexander, in Murcar. 1681-1714. 12 times
Still, Alexander, fermer at Bowbridge. 1695
Still, George, of Mill Den. 1793-1824
Still, John, in Links. 1679-1714. 21 times
Stalker, Gabriell, maltman in Abd. 1603
Stoddart, George, farmer, Aryburn. 1898-9
Stoddart, James, farmer, Airyburn (Aryburn). 1836-60. 20 times
Storonhe, or Slorouhe, in Hauchtoun. 1619
Strachan, Andrew, in Westfield. 1714
Strachan, George, at Fintray House (also New Mill of Fintray). 1727 to 1836
Strachan, James, farmer, Abd. 1782-9
Strachan, John, in Tillyoch. 1746
Strachan, John, baxter, in Old Abd. 1706-8
Strachan, John, farmer in Old Abd. 1704-6
Strachan, William, baker. 1783-1804. 16 times
Straquhan, Alexander, in Old Abd. 1681-90
Straquhan, Gilbert, in Meldrum. 1631
Straquhan, Lieut.-Col. 1652
Stronach, Alexander, of Drumallan, advocate in Abd. 1830-60. 23 times
Stuart, Alexander, of Laithers. 1839-44
Stuart, Alexander, of Inchbreck and Laithers. 1890-7
Stuart, Eustace R. Burnett, of Dens and Crichie. 1893-5
Stuart, James, of Dens. 1735-42
Stuart, James, of Carneveran. 1756 and 1757
Stuart, John, advocate. 1848
Swaip, Alexander, in Balquharne. 1631

Sym, Alexander, farmer, Bridge of Don. 1750
Symmers, Alexander Anderson, of Westfield. 1845-50
Symmer, George, in Elrick. 1629
Symsone, William, in Suanefuird. 1630

Taillior (Tailziour, Taylour, Taylor), Alexander, in Cottoun. 1691-1722. 30 times
Taillur, Alexander, in Old Crooves. 1698
Taylor, Alexander, farmer in Oldtown of Atherb. 1751
Taylor, Farquharson, Wellhouse, Alford. 1853-4
Tayllor, (Taillior), George, in Seattoun. 1681-94
Taillur, John, in Seaton. 1704
Taillur, Patrick, at Bridg of Done. 1704
Taillior (Tailzeour), William, maltman, Old Abd. 1698-1701
Taylor, William, in Old Abd. 1713
Temple, John (not designed). 1666
Temple, Walter, merchant in Abd. (also maltster). 1722-42
Thain, John, of Crichie. 1730
Thain, John, advocate in Abd. 1733
Thain, William, of Blackhall. 1723
Thaw, John, burgess of Abd. 1631
Thom, Alexander, advocate. 1801
Thom, James, in Cairnfeild. 1656
Thom, James, farmer, Upper Kirkton, Dyce. 1899
Thome, James, in Robslaw. 1691
Thom, Dr. Wm., of Craibston. 1788 and 1790
Thomson, Adam, wryter, Old Abd. 1710-19
Thomson, Adam, maltman in Old Abd. 1711-16
Thomson, Alexander, in Monthillie. 1708
Thomson, Alexander, of Raineshill. 1739-42
Thomson, Andrew, in Little Miln. 1709-10
Thomson, Andrew, in Seton. 1712
Thomson, Andrew, in Gordonsmiln. 1714-18
Thomson, Andrew, in Old Abd. (in 1720 and 1722 farmer in Old Abd.). 1718-22
Thomson, Andrew, of Crawton (also feuar of Gilcomstone). 1744-62. 16 times
Thomson, George, writer. 1778
Thomson, George, merchant. 1779

Thomson, George, at Ythan Lodge. 1796
Thomson, George, of Fairly. 1820-3
Thomson, James, of Union Place. 1826
Thomson, James, maltman in Abd. 1712
Thomson, James, of Portlethen. 1733
Thomson, James, late Baillie (sometimes Baillie), Old Abd. 1694-1702
Thomson, William, in Dubfoord. 1669
Thomson, William, in Drums of Foveran. 1699
Thomson, William, farmer in Old Abd. 1704 and 1705
Thorburn, John, of Murtle. 1826-32
Touche, in Petfoddells. 1603
Tough, Robert, in Gairdyne. 1678
Tower, James, at Miln of Ferryhill. 1739-47
Tower, William, of Kinaldye. 1821-5
Troup, Alexander, younger, in Links. 1695-1716
Troupt (or Troup), Alexander, in Links. 1676-1723. 21 times
Troup, Alexander, Baillie in Old Abd. 1717-23
Troup, George, in Links. 1700 and 1701
Troup, William, maltman, Abd. (also merchant). 1721-49
Tullidaff, Alexander, burgess, Abd. 1603
Turner, John, of Turnerhall. 1783
Turner, John, of Turnerhall. 1863
Turner, John, younger, of Turnerhall. 1883-90
Turner, Robert, of Mennie. 1792-7

Udny, James, advocate, Abd. 1737
Umphray, Henry, in Abd. 1630
Urquhart, William, of Meldrum. 1739

Walker, Alexander Ross, Kintore. 1863
Walker, Andrew, younger, of Torryleith. 1743
Walker, George, advocate in Abd. 1872
Walker, George, in Gordonsmiln. 1704-13
Walker, George, in Little Milne. 1698 and 1716
Walker, George, in Seatoun. 1717 and 1718
Walker, James, in Mugimoss. 1655
Walker, James, Dean of Guild, Abd. 1895
Walker, Robert M., Sheriff Clerk Depute, Abd. 1877

Walker, Robert, in Justice Milnes. 1667
Walker, Robert, Wester Fintray. 1817-26
Walker, Thomas, baxter in Abd. 1699 and 1700
Walker, William, millart at Littlemiln. 1704 and 1705
Wallace, John, baker. 1791-1809. 13 times
Wallace, Patrick, in Old Abd. 1690
Warrake, James, in Cranaboge. 1679
Warrack, Thomas, baker. 1787-88
Watson, Andrew, in Auchlie. 1628
Watson, Andrew, flesher. 1651
Watson, James, of Binghill. 1767-95. 14 times
Watson, John, of Binghill. 1797-1802
Watson, John, advocate. 1799-1806
Watson, Robert, baker. 1804
Watt, Adam, baker. 1785-1806. 16 times
Watt, Adam, merchant. 1816
Watt, George, in Gawner. 1631
Watt, James, farmer at the Bridge of Don. 1706-18. (1707 maltman)
Weir, George, in Old Abd. 1713-17 (1717 in Littlemiln)
White, George, of Meethill, 1864-68
Whyte, George G., C.A., Abd. 1897-99
Whyte, John, of Dalhebity, advocate in Abd. 1898-99
Whyte (generally White), William, merchant (also grain merchant). 1830-41. 12 times
Wight, A. F., of Camphill, Lumphanan. 1895
Will, Alexander, in Abd. 1666
Will, John, in Balnakellie. 1630
Williamsone, Alexander, in Chapeltoun of Essilmont. 1655 and 1666
Williamson, John, burgess in Abd. 1629
Williamson, R. D., Bendauch. 1898
Winsone, Alexander, baxter, Abd. 1650
Wishart, Robert, in Old Abd. 1696
Woid, John, of the Mylne of Fintray. 1629
Woid, William, in Kynnellar. 1629
Wood, William, in Boddoms. 1650
Wilson, Adam, of Glasgowego. 1811-20
Wilson, David, of Finzeach (also Finzeauch). 1724-33
Wilson, Hugh, farmer, Milton of Noth. 1900

Wilson, James, of Finzeauch. 1760
Wilson, John, factor, Huntly. 1900
Wilsone, John, in Littelgicht. 1652
Wilson, Patrick, maltman, burgess of Abd. 1656
Wilson, Robert, economus in Old Abd. 1711-18. (King's College. Afterwards maltman)
Wilsone, Thomas, factor (solicitor), Aberdeen. 1877-93
Wilson, Thomas, farmer at Little Clinterty. 1827-9
Wilsone, William, maltman, in Old Abd. 1690-1702. 12 times
Wishart, James, in Berrihill. 1690

Yeats, George, advocate, of Auquharney. 1829-44. 13 times
Yeats, William, advocate, of Auquharney. 1850-64 and 1879
Yool, William, miller in Abd. 1676
Young, Alexander, merchant. 1769-1804. 13 times
Young, James, baxter, Abd. 1744
Youngson, James, in Lonhead. 1751
Youngson, James, in Wester Brounhill. 1649

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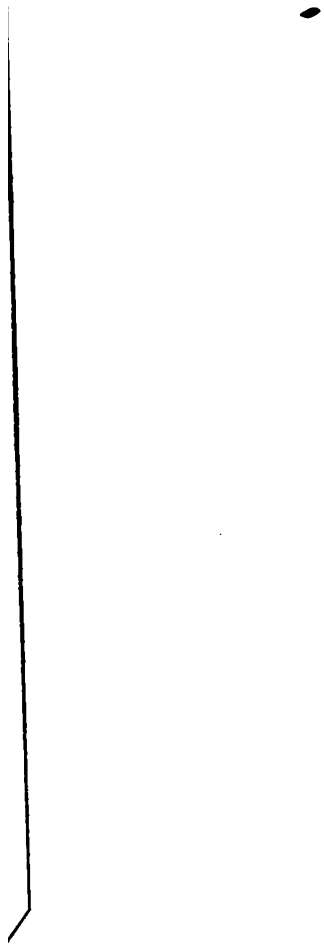

HISTORICAL INTRODUCTION

TO THE REGISTER OF

S. PAUL'S EPISCOPAL CHAPEL, ABERDEEN

The Church of S. Paul, Aberdeen, was founded by, and represents in direct succession, the Episcopal Congregation of the West Church of S. Nicholas, as that Church existed at the Revolution when the Scottish Church was disestablished and disendowed. The steps by which this was brought about are now well ascertained and form an interesting chapter of local history. S. Nicholas was the Parish Church of the City, and down to the year 1596 it was a collegiate one and consisted of a choir, nave and transepts. On the 23rd of June of that year, during the short ascendency of Presbytery, there was recorded in the Council Register of the City a resolution in the following terms :—" The said day the Provost, baillies and Council Ordainit the haill carvit tymmer wark betwixt the pilleris and the queir to be removit . . . to the effect that ane stane wall may be biggit betwixt the queir and the body of the kirk that the said queir may be made ane preichin kirk."

The "carvit tymmer wark"—the priceless rood screen—thus disappeared, the " stane wall " was built in its place, and the greater part of this very wall may still be seen under the old pointed mouldings where it blocked up the great arch of the choir and the arches of the two side aisles. From thenceforth the great Church of S. Nicholas—as a collegiate Church for collegiate services—ceased to exist, the Choir became one preaching kirk, known afterwards as the East, and the old nave became the old West Church ; and thus it was that, when the Revolution of 1688 did come, the Parish Church of the City was occupied by two practically independent congregations.

Of these two the West seems ever to have enjoyed a certain precedence. It was there, as now, that the Provost, Magistrates and Town

Council had their official gallery, and it was there also that the Trades Burgesses of Aberdeen had at the Revolution their "seats and dasks." At the Revolution the three officiating ministers in S. Nicholas Church were Dr. Andrew Burnet of the West, Dr. George Garden of the East, and Dr. William Blair, who took duty in both. These three had permanent parochial appointments, they all refused to take the oaths to William and Mary, their congregations were devotedly attached to the Episcopal Communion, and, although the Church had in 1689 been disestablished and disendowed, they were able to maintain a hold on their churches—Dr. Garden till the year 1692 and Dr. Burnet till the year 1695—though that hold was a precarious one. Serious trouble, however, was at hand.

In the year 1694 there came to Aberdeen a Commission of the Kirk, to "try and purge out scandalous and erroneous ministers"—so they called the Episcopal clergy—"and to plant vacant churches North of the Tay."

Up to this time Dr. Burnet had maintained his hold on the West Church, but Dr. Garden had in 1692 been deprived by the Privy Council for "not praying for their majesties William and Mary." It appears also that up till now the Episcopal clergy in Old Aberdeen had maintained their hold on the Cathedral. The Commission, as the Record runs, commenced their sittings in "the King's College kirk of Aberdeen," and on the 29th of June certain of the northern clergy lodged with them a "Protestation and Appeal under the form of Instrument," and to this protest Dr. Burnet was a party. In this "Instrument,"[1] which was absolutely correct and respectful in its terms, the northern clergy "declare that they cannot own the Assemblies of their Presbyterian brethern to have been the full and lawful representation of their national church," and therefore they declined to "acknowledge any Ecclesiastical Power of this Committee." They further expressed a hope that the members thereof "will either desist from any further procedure against them or give a satisfactory answer to" the elaborate series of argumentive queries that are at length set forth in the Instrument of Protest itself; and they finally "appealed to their Majesties King William and Queen Mary as supreme judges under God within these dominions and to the

1 Printed in the *Spalding Club Miscellany*, Vol. II., p. lxiii. *et seq.*

next lawfully constitute and orderly called General Assembly of this National Church." Whoever desires to read these queries themselves and the cunning fence that arose upon them will find them at length in the Wodrow Manuscripts, printed in Vol. II. of the Miscellany of the Spalding Club, pp. 163 and onward.

These argumentations are in themselves interesting, but their serious import consists in this, that the very presenting of this protest formed the turning point under which the ancient Church of S. Nicholas was permanently shut to the Episcopal Communion. The same remark applies to the Cathedral, as on the 4th of July, a certain Mr. R. Langlands, in writing to Wodrow, reports that "we," that is the Commission, "got possession of the kirk of Old Aberdeen last Sabbath, and purpose to keep it." Mr. Langlands adds that the "Adversaries are become faint and under consternation, and as we hear some of the Appellants themselves would wish they had not by their appeal shut the door, but I think in this God hath infatuate them." Dr. Garden having been deprived, and the Cathedral taken "possession of," it is necessary now to follow the fortunes of Dr. Burnet, who, had he known what was in store, might well have suffered some of the consternation in which Mr. Langlands rejoiced.

In presenting their protest to the Commission, and in entering their appeal to their Majesties, the northern clergy were strictly within their constitutional rights, and on that account the ordinary law of the land was powerless against them. That being so, the Commission, as soon as they had finished their sittings, made a formal Representation to the Privy Council,[1] in which they complain that "at Aberdeen twelve Ministers took the boldness to give in a paper under the title of queries plainly questioning not only our authoritie but the authoritie of the law whereby the authoritie of this Church is settled; and though they got ane very modest and rational answer yet they protested against us and appealed from the Commission and further they appealed to their Majesties' protection."

The Representation was referred by the Privy Council to "a Committee to call for the papers and protest mentioned and to consider the same if seditious or not and to make their report." The Committee

[1] Printed in the Spalding Club Miscellany, Vol. II., p. lxvi.

summoned before them, among others, Mr. Thomas Cravie, Minister at Newhills, who had been Clerk to the Protestation, Dr. Burnet and Mr. Alexander Thomson at Fintrie. What then took place was the passing of a penal Act of Parliament against Dr. Burnet and his brethren in the following terms[1] :—" At Edinburgh the first day of July, 1695, anent the Reports of the Committee " (of the Privy Council) making mention that Mr. Andrew Burnet, one of the Ministers at Aberdeen cited before them, having owned in their presence the Protestation given at Aberdeen, and that he adhered thereto, they were of opinion that he should be deprived of his benefice, and that his Church should be declared vacant, and he discharged to preach or exercise any part of the Ministerial function in any place within this kingdom until he qualified himself and take the oath of allegiance and subscribe the assurance, and that he shall be imprisoned until he find caution under the pain of One hundred pounds sterling not to go be North the River of Forth and that he be confyned to the South side of the said River of Forth furth frae and after the first day of August then next to come, which three Reports above written " (those against Mr. Cravie and Mr. Thomson being in similar terms) " being read in Parliament, and the above designed Mr. Thomas Cravie, Mr. Andrew Burnet and Mr. Alexander Thomson being called and appearing before the Parliament and the said Protestation taken at Aberdeen being read to them they owned the same ; His Majesty's High Commissioner and the estates of Parliament did thereby approve of the said respective Reports of the said Committee and Decerned and ordained the same to be put to present execution and the said persons to be imprisoned in the Tolbooth of Edinburgh to the effect contained in the said Reports above written."

Such was the " protection of their Majesties " to which these reverend gentlemen had appealed. Dr. Burnet having appeared at the bar of the Parliament of Scotland was thus promptly clapt in prison, and being now securely under lock and key, one James Osborn, from Kilmarnock, was by the new dominant party " planted " in his place. It was on these events taking place that Dr. Burnet's congregation had to provide themselves with accommodation elsewhere.

[1] 5 William III., chap. 18.

As already explained it was in the West Church that the Trades' Burgesses of Aberdeen had their sittings, and it was fortunate that at this crises these Burgesses had in the ancient monastic Church of the Trinity Friars such accommodation at their own disposal. As they found in this Church a refuge for many years, a short reference may be made to its history.

It was in the year 1211 that a branch of the Order was established in Aberdeen, when William the Lyon gifted to them the palace which he had erected "on the south side of the Green."[1] The Monastery remained in the possession of the Friars till about 1589,[2] when the whole property passed to the Crown. In 1597, "the Trinity Friars place, yardis and kirk thereof were bought by the Town Council,"[3] and in 1631, they were acquired from the town by Dr. William Guild, "to found a hospital and provide a meeting house"[4] for the Trades; and thus it was that, when shut out of the Parish Church, the Trades' had the Trinity Church in their own hands. But a more peaceful period, though of short duration, was now at hand.

In 1702, King William, who had survived his Consort, Mary, died, and Queen Anne was now on the throne. King James, the Queen's father, had died the previous year, and the city clergy felt now at liberty to take the oaths to Anne. The sentence inflicted by Parliament on Dr. Burnet had been repealed, and he at once resumed his ministrations to his old flock in the Trinity Church.[5] His congregation adhered to him in a body, and the old West Church seems thereafter to have been practically deserted.[6]

It was abandoned in 1732, fell in 1742, and was not rebuilt till the year 1755; and during these 23 years the minister, who nominally held the appointment for the West, preached in the Old Greyfriars.

1 *Bain's Incorporated Trades*, p. 151. 2 *Bain's*, p. 154.

3 *Council Register*, Vol. XXXVI., p. 715. 4 *Bain's*, p. 150.

5 *Spalding Club Miscellany*, Vol. I., Pref. pp. 60, 61; *Kirk Session Records*, 14 and 21 June, 1703.

6 "The old Church or nave was neglected, and possibly not needed, and became ruinous." —Professor Cooper in *Cartularium Ecclesiæ S. Nicholai*, Vol. II., p. xlv. (New Spalding Club).

The activity of Dr. Burnet's congregation in furnishing the Trinity Church as a place of worship appears in certain characteristic entries in the minute books of the Trades. Here is one:—21 February, 1704: "The Convener Court Statutes appoints and ordains that no person, who shall be permitted to build seats or desks in the Trinity Church of Aberdeen, shall have liberty to lift, demolish or take down the same, but they shall remain in the said Church as mortified thereto in all time coming." [1]

In 1711, there followed the well known Toleration Act of Queen Anne. The Clergy of Aberdeen, if not all in the North, now complied with its terms, took the oaths to Queen Anne and prayed for her by name, used the Prayer Book in their services, and up to the date of the Queen's death became in the ordinary sense what was afterwards known as "Qualified Ministers."

It would be a mistake, however, to suppose that, between the date of Queen Anne's accession and the passing of the Toleration Act, the Episcopal clergy in general remained unmolested. The very preamble of the Toleration Act is itself evidence to the contrary. "Whereas,"—so the Act narrates,—"since the abolishing of Episcopal Government in Scotland, those of the Episcopal persuasion have been frequently disturbed and interrupted in their religious assemblies, and their Ministers prosecuted for reading the English Service in their congregations and administering the Sacraments according to the form prescribed in the liturgy of the Church of England," for their relief the Act was passed in terms that in effect afforded protection to all who subscribed the oaths, prayed in express words for her Majesty and her successors, and used the Book of Common Prayer. But the times of peace were drawing to an end, and greater troubles than ever were now in store.

In 1714, Queen Anne died, the northern clergy refused to qualify to King George, and, on the Earl of Mar's outbreak in the following year, events took place that changed the whole aspect of affairs, resulting as they did in the first of those ferocious Acts of Parliament that were passed in succession for the total suppression of the Episcopal Church.

[1] *Convener Court Minutes.*

Immediately on the outbreak of 1715 the town fell into the hands of the adherents of the exiled King. In the month of September, Dr. Garden and Dr. Burnet, under protection of the Jacobite Magistrates, retook possession of the Church of S. Nicholas, and, in Old Aberdeen, Mr. Barclay, who like the others had been ejected, "occupied the Cathedral."[1] In the month of December, the Chevalier landed at Peterhead, and "a deputation of the clergy, consisting of Dr. Burnet, Dr. Garden, Dr. Dunbreck, and Mr. Maitland, presented an address to him at the Earl Marischal's house at Fetteresso."[2] On the suppression of the Rebellion, says Dr. Grub, "the whole of the nonjuring Ministers were in consequence ejected, the new Chapels were shut up, the congregations were driven away, and the clergy were in prison, concealment, or exile," and "these attacks continued without intermission during the years 1716, 1717, and 1718."[3] On 20th November, 1717, a correspondent of Wodrow writes thus:—"Saturday's post brought up the Criminal letters against the Episcopal ministers in the bounds of the Synod of Aberdeen, so that there will not be an Episcopal minister in all this bounds that will either enjoy church or benefice, except three who kept very calm in the time of the Rebellion—Mr. Burnet at Monymusk, Mr. Hay of Woodnay, and his brother at Monquhitter."[4] As the result, and as Wodrow exultingly foretold, "a clean house was now made."[5] Among the chapels thus shut up was the Trinity under Dr. Burnet,[6] but where the other four Episcopal meetings in the new town were held we have no record. To add to the distress and confusion of the times, Dr. Haliburton, the Bishop, died just as the new troubles began, and it was not till December, 1722, that Bishop Gadderer, who was not confirmed as Bishop of Aberdeen till 1724, made what the present venerable Dean of Aberdeen and Orkney calls his first "descent on Aberdeen."[7]

1 *Analecta Scotica*, Vol. II., p. 234.

2 Rae's *History of the Rebellion*, 2nd ed., p. 476.

3 Grub's *History of S. Andrew's Church.*

4 Wodrow's *Cor.*, Vol. II., p. 227.

5 Wodrow's *Cor.*, Vol. II., p. 212.

6 Minutes of Convener Court of Trades under date 8 Oct. 1716.

7 Dean Walker's *Epochs of Scot. Ch. History*, p. 91.

In the meantime Dr. Burnet died and was buried in the town's churchyard.[1] How his congregation shifted for itself in the interval we do not know; but what we do know is that, being now left without the support of their faithful minister, and being unable as nonjurors to contend longer with the dangers and distractions that surrounded them, they resolved to adopt the Act of Queen Anne, and on the 2nd of August, 1720, held a meeting of some historic interest. This, as runs the document under which St. Paul's was founded, was a meeting of certain "Burgers, Merchants, Tradesmen, and Inhabitants of Aberdeen," being Dr. Burnet's old congregation, "for settling ane Episcopal Meeting House by a qualified minister in the terms of law." S. Paul's was founded accordingly, and a facsimile of the venerable document under which this was done is here given.

It has already been pointed out how Dr. Burnet's congregation, when driven from the Parish Church, set about furnishing Trinity with "seats and desks," and how the Trades Incorporation took precaution that these seats, when once built, should thenceforth become their permanent property. But that condition had apparently been forgotten at the meeting of 2nd August, for Article 3rd of the Deed of Foundation runs as follows:—"Appoints Provost Bannerman, James Brebner, and William Simpson, Convener Moir, Convener Gray, Deacon Craig" (and any other three tradesmen from different trades) "to meet with the present Convener and his Deacons, and to desire a lease of the Trinity Church for alsmany years and for what rent they can agree, and, in case of refusal, to demand the Burgers' seats in the said Trinity Church under form of Instrument, and, in case of refusal of that also, appoint Alexander Gordon, Advocate in Aberdeen, to raise a Summons before the Lords of Session in order to prosecute the Convener, Deacons, and Trades for sd effect." In the matter of a lease they were at once forestalled by the ministers of the kirk, who stepped in and offered a rent of £10 for "the said Trinitie Chappell and haill seats thereof";[2] and as to the seats, when the demand was made by the people who built them, it was effectually met by the resolution already quoted under which all such

[1] Treasurer's accounts under date 24 Octr. 1718.

[2] Minute of Convener Court, 27 September, 1720.

sittings were "mortified" to the Trades Corporation; and in old S. Paul's, as it stood till our own day, there remained the special gallery that was in consequence erected by these very Trades Burgers. The significance of the claim on the Burgers' seats in the Trinity Church consists in this, that it shows beyond all question that the Burgers who founded S. Paul's were Dr. Burnet's old congregation of the West, who had themselves built these very seats in Trinity Church when driven from their own, and accordingly, in the titles of the property on which S. Paul's was built, the congregation is described as "the Episcopal congregation of the Burgh of Aberdeen." [1]

Having failed to get a lease of the Trinity Church they acquired a site between the Gallowgate and the Loch, built old S. Paul's, and placed therein a clergyman in English Orders, not because of his English Orders, but because there did not then exist in Aberdeen one single clergyman who, without incurring a penalty of six months' imprisonment, durst in public read the church service in any meeting that was a congregation in any ordinary sense of the term.

The first minister, the Reverend Dr. Joseph Robertson from Forfar, was appointed by the Deed of Foundation itself, and, as the congregation already existed as an organised congregation and was now "qualified," Dr. Robertson entered on his duties at once. The first entry in the Register of Baptisms is dated 14 August, 1720 just twelve days after the foundation meeting, Dr. Robertson himself being the officiating minister. By the year 1722 the chapel was completed and on the first of February the first Constitution of S. Paul's was enacted appointing ten "Manadgers for manadging the same in tyme coming." From its geneological value the document is printed as Appendix No. I.

On 20 November, 1779, a new and detailed Constitution was enacted in the form of a Decree Arbitral by George Moir, Esquire, of Scotstown, and this document, with slight subsequent modifications, formed the governing Constitution of the Church down to the year 1900, when a new and more liberal Constitution was adopted. [2]

[1] Title Deeds of S. Paul's Church property.

[2] Recorded in the Sheriff Court Books at Aberdeen, 1779.

The local and social character of the Congregation thus founded is shown by the qualifications required of Constituent Members—Burgesses of Guild, Freemen of the Incorporated Trades, Members of the Society of Advocates, the Society of Shipmasters, the Society of Litsters, the Musical Society, Physicians and Commissioners of Supply of the County.

From the first S. Paul's was a collegiate Charge, and with few intervals continued such down to the year 1853, when the last incumbent of the second charge, the Revd. Samuel Abraham Walker, resigned.

From all we have said it is certain that in founding S. Paul's there was no intention of separating from the Episcopal Church of Scotland, and it was by the prohibitory action of the Bishops themselves that S. Paul's was for years kept apart. "The Church in fact," says the Dean of Aberdeen and Orkney in his life of the Revd. John Skinner of Linshart, "regarded compliance with the Toleration Act as a sin—an offence against God and the Church which could not be *purged* save by repentence and priestly absolution. The complying clergymen were therefore subjected to Church discipline for their compliance. Mr. Skinner and his neighbour of Old Deer," who had both taken the oaths, "submitted. Livingstone and Skinner, says a manuscript of the time, *repented and were absolved by their Bishop, Mr. Gerrard.*"[1] There was certainly no pretence of setting up what was afterwards erroneously called a "Congregation of the Church of England." Indeed it is a significant fact that neither in the Deed of Foundation of 1720, nor in the title deeds of the Church, nor in the Constitution of 1722, nor in that in 1779, nor in any subsequent amendment thereof, nor in the Minutes of the congregation, which were kept with continued fullness and care, is the Church of England once mentioned or referred to except on the two occasions now to be noted, and then only in an incidental manner. The first of these was in the year 1815 when the statesman-bishop John Skinner invited them to unite with the Scottish Church, and pointed out that "her Bishops and Clergy openly avowed their adherence to the doctrine and discipline of

[1] *Life of John Skinner of Linshart*, p. 50.

the English Church by subscribing her Articles of Religion."[1] The second was in the year 1831 when the managers resolved to refer to the Archbishop of Canterbury or the Bishop of London a matter of difference that had arisen between them and the Revd. John Brown then the minister of the second charge, not as matter of jurisdiction, but merely, as the Minutes put it, "that either of them might be disposed to accept such a reference from a desire to preserve harmony in a christian congregation, which from the calamitous circumstances prevalent in Scotland, was for a time under no Bishop."[2] Both his Grace and the Bishop of London not only repudiated in express terms all jurisdiction, but declined to hold direct communication with S. Paul's. It happened, however, that there was then resident in London as Rector of S. Anne's, Soho, the Reverend Roderick Macleod, who from 1782 to 1792, had been one of the ministers of S. Paul's, and both the Primate and the Bishop of London address him as an unofficial medium. "The Scottish Episcopal Church," writes the Archbishop, "is undoubtedly possessed of all the characteristics of a true church, its Bishops and Clergymen are highly respectable, it has adopted the 39 Articles of the United Church of England and Ireland," and both he and the Bishop of London strongly recommended the congregation of S. Paul's to "place themselves under the spiritual control of the Bishop within whose Diocese it is locally situate."[3] The good advice thus given was by and bye acted on and by Deed of Union, dated 12th and 14th January, 1841, S. Paul's was "constituded and recognised as a regular congregation of the Scottish Episcopal Church." A copy of the Deed of Union is printed as Appendix No. II.

The first minister appointed after this was the Reverend Sir William Dunbar, Bart., who was elected in May, 1842, was formally presented to Bishop Skinner for institution, signed the Canons and the formula of due obedience, and was duly instituted to the pastoral charge conform to Deed of Institution, dated 2 July, 1842. But this happy settlement was not to be of long duration. Falling under the influence of the Revd. D. T. K. Drummond, of Edinburgh, in his revolt from the Scottish

[1] Minute Book under date 24 June, 1815. [2] Minute Book under date 1831.
[3] Minute Book under date 1831.

Church, Sir William forthwith raised differences with his Bishop on matters personal to themselves, and to which the Congregation of S. Paul's were not parties, withdrew his subscription to the Canons, and in less than twelve months returned his Deeds of Presentation and Institution. The Bishop refused to acknowledge his power to withdraw from the Canons and held the Cure vacant by the return of the Deeds. The correspondence between them was at Sir William's instance laid before a meeting of constituent members on 27th June, 1843, when a resolution by his supporters, carried by a vote of 37 to 15, was passed, "resolving that the Deed of Union of this congregation with the Scottish Episcopal Church is from and after this date null and void." Protests by constituent members against the legality of the resolution were made at the meeting and afterwards; and on 1st July following, a letter was addressed by the Bishop to the Congregation, in which he also protested that the Resolution was illegal, that the Deed of Union was unbroken, and that the charge was vacant from the date at which Sir William Dunbar had returned the Deeds. He further called on the congregation to present to him another clergyman for institution. On 16th October of the same year, the Bishop wrote the Congregation, "again calling on them to procure without farther delay, and to present to him for institution a clergyman for S. Paul's." No answer was returned to either communication, but both letters were recorded at length in the Minute Books of the Church, and, as will be seen, it was under the protection of these very protests and calls by Bishop Skinner that a complete reconciliation was ultimately effected.

The Bishop's position was absolutely sound. Not only was there no evidence that the Conditions of the Union had been violated by the Bishop, but on the face of the resolution itself it was not even pretended that this had been so. On the contrary, the Bishop's protests were followed by continued recognition that, the Union subsisted, at least recognition to this extent, that on every occasion thereafter when the Constitution of the Church had to be printed and officially issued to the congregation, the Deed of Union was continuously included in the print as part of that Constitution.

So matters continued till the month of November, 1898, when a Deed of Presentation by the Congregation was made to the then Bishop,

the Honourable and Right Reverend Arthur Gascoigne Douglas, in favour of the then Rector, the Reverend Edwin Ernest Marshall, M.A., Cantab, for institution to the pastoral charge. Along with the presentation, a Memorial was submitted to the Bishop, in which his Lordship was prayed "to condone the past, to hold in conformity with the protests of Bishop Skinner that the Deed of Union still remained unbroken, to hold that the call to present a clergyman made by Bishop Skinner had never been withdrawn, and was still open, to accept of the Presentation then made as a Presentation in terms of Bishop Skinner's call, and to grant Institution accordingly." This was done, and Mr. Marshall was duly instituted in terms of the Canon. Thereafter, at the first meeting of Synod that followed, S. Paul's was restored by the Bishop to its proper place in the List of Incumbencies of the Diocese.[1]

We may here, in a sentence, complete the incident of the Revd. Sir William Dunbar. Proceedings against him for contumacy were taken in Synod before the Bishop, and these resulted in sentence of excommunication. Sir William continued, notwithstanding, as incumbent of S. Paul's till the year 1855, when he resigned. On leaving Aberdeen he went to London to undertake occasional duty there, but was, by the Bishop of London, refused licence so long as the sentence of the Bishop of Aberdeen stood against him. On this he applied to Bishop Skinner to be reponed, expressed regret for the course he had pursued, and the sentence was withdrawn. His Petition to be restored to terms of amity with the Scottish Church came before the Episcopal Synod, who had confirmed the original sentence, the Petition was complied with, and the withdrawal of the sentence by the Bishop of Aberdeen was formally approved.[2] Sir William Dunbar was a man of deep personal piety and highly respected. He died in 1881 Rector of Dummer, Basingstoke, Hants.

The original chapel having become old and inconvenient, the present handsome church was in 1867 built on the old site.

A list of the clergymen who have served the Cure is annexed as Appendix No. III.

1 Diocesan Minutes, 16 August, 1899. 2 Episcopal Synod Records, 27 Sept., 1855.

The properties and endowments belonging to S. Paul's consist of:—

1. The Church itself.
2. The School Room and Verger's House adjoining. This property was mortified by John Rickart of Auchnacant for a "mansion house and dwelling place" for the principal minister. The benefactor is the same "John Rickert" whose name appears in the very first entry in the Register of Baptisms under date 14th August, 1720.
3. Capital Funds invested for general purposes, about £3000.
4. Mrs. Gordon of Craigmyles Fund for the widows of ministers of S. Paul's, £2120.
5. Funds invested for the poor of the Congregation, under two separate bequests, £280.
6. Bequest for a Rectory, £45.

The Registers of S. Paul's consist of six volumes of Baptisms, and two of Marriages, as follows:—

BAPTISMS VOL. I.

This is a folio volume commencing on 14 August, 1720, and ending on 14 January, 1752. It consists of 100 pages applicable to S. Paul's, followed by two pages of entries of irregular dates titled "Baptisms omitted." Then follow four pages of register titled "Ane List of Marriages"—the earliest of which is dated 1st November, 1720, and the latest 24 December, 1747, but the dates are not in correct succession. These irregular pages may have been written on loose sheets, and bound up with volume when the registers were all rebound some years ago. Following these there have been bound up with Vol. I. as it now exists two consecutive registers of baptisms and marriages that form no part of S. Paul's Registers, but belonged to the Episcopal Congregation that occupied the old Trinity Chapel from about the year 1753 till the year 1791, when they removed to a chapel built by them in the Netherkirkgate. The first of these registers is titled thus:—"Oct. 1753, Register of Baptisms and Marriages by George Farquhar, Minister at ye Trinities." It consists of 64 pages and ends on 26 August, 1770. The second is titled thus:—"A Register of Baptisms and Marriages by William Blake,

Minister of the Trinity Chapel, Aberdeen, from 25 November, 1770." It consists of 126 pages; the first entry is dated 6 January, 1771, and the entry of latest date 10 October, 1804.

These two registers refer exclusively to Trinity Chapel, and ought not to have been bound up with S. Paul's Registers.*

With few irregularities the entries in the register itself follow in correct succession.

BAPTISMS VOL. II.

This is a quarto volume, bearing on the first page the words "Baptisms Beginning from 26th of July, 1752."

The first and second pages contain certain entries of baptisms,

* It is clear, however, how these Trinity registers came into the hands of S. Paul's vestry.

In the year 1753 Mr. Farquhar was under a lease in his own name tenant of the Trinity Chapel and continued so down to the year 1765. By this time he had fallen into "declining health" and was "incapable to discharge the duties of his functions." On 26 March, 1756, he, through a nephew, entered into an agreement with S. Paul's under which he made over to the Managers his lease for the four years then to run, they paying him yearly £15 for four years, should he live as long, and relieving him of the rent of the Chapel.

Minute dated 26 Mar., 1765.

At the same time S. Paul's obtained from the Trades an extended lease of the chapel for 19 years after the death of Mr. Farquhar or the expiry of his tack, at £10 a year. Services in the chapel seem to have been carried on by the S. Paul's clergy down to November, 1770, when the managers settled "Mr. William Blake, Minister of Ellon, to be Minister and Pastor of the Episcopal Congregation frequenting the said Trinity Chapel during the time to run of the foresaid lease, he being obliged to preach once every Sunday during the foresaid space in S. Paul's," and getting the yearly produce of the revenue of the Trinity Chapel and ten pounds a year of money stipend. This arrangement continued till January, 1778, when, at Mr. Blake's request, they dispensed with his doing duty in S. Paul's, "fixed him entirely to the Trinity Chapel, and gave him the whole emoluments of that house burdened only with the tack duty payable therefor."

Minute 4 April, 1766.

Minutes 8 Oct., 15 Nov., and 22 Nov., 1770.

Minutes 5 Jan., 1776; 10 Jan., 1776.

In the year 1790 Mr. Blake's Congregation purchased subjects in the Netherkirkgate, between Carnegie's Brae at the south end of St. Nicholas Street and on this site they built a chapel called S. James' to which they removed in 1791. The Congregation was dissolved in 1806 (*Minutes of this Congregation now in the possession of S. James' Church of the present day*).

Mr. Blake died in 1804, when his register ends, and it was presumably then that it fell into the hands of the vestry of S. Paul's.

the third and fourth contain certain entries of marriages, but the regular register of baptisms in this volume, as now bound up, does not commence till page 5 when it does so under date 21 March, 1753. Thereafter the entries follow each other substantially in regular succession and end on 26 April, 1766.

Simultaneously with the entries in what we have called the regular register of baptisms in this volume the book had been reversed, and entries made from the other end, commencing with a title page which reads thus:—"Marriages Beginning from August the 4th 1752." First there are two pages of baptisms commencing 4 August, 1752, and ending 8 May, 1753, followed by a short register of baptisms from 12 November, 1752, down to 20 March, 1753. Then follow 14 pages of entries of marriages with one or two baptisms interspersed—the entry latest in date being 10 August, 1766. Then follow 7 pages of baptisms commencing 26 April, 1766, and ending 8 August, 1767, but somewhat irregular in sequence.

BAPTISMS VOL. III.

This is a folio volume, bearing on the title page the words "John King, servant to S. Pauls Chappel, February 5th, 1767."

The first page, commencing 19 April, 1757, contains nine entries of irregular dates. The regular register of baptisms commences on 6 February, 1767, and ends on 8 March, 1791.

BAPTISMS VOL. IV.

This is a folio volume. The Title page bears the following words:—"Register of Baptisms of S. Paul's Chapel in Aberdeen." It commences on 20 March, 1791, and ends on 23 December, 1827.

BAPTISMS VOL. V.

This is a folio volume made up in the form of Schedule (A.) to the Registration Act 52, George III. chapter 146, a print of which is prefixed thereto. The first entry is dated 19 January, 1828, and the last 8 October, 1841.

BAPTISMS VOL. VI.

This is a folio volume. The first entry is dated 2 January, 1842, and the book was current on 1 January, 1855, when the General Registration Act came into force.

REGISTER OF MARRIAGES.

The first portion of these consists of the irregular and somewhat fragmentary entries already described in Vol. II.

The regular register of marriages consists of—

MARRIAGES VOL. I.

It is a volume of quarto size, titled "Marriage Book of S. Paul's Chappel." It commences on 26 April, 1767, and ends on 16 July, 1841.

MARRIAGES VOL. II.

This is a folio volume, commencing 1 January, 1842, and still current.

A Register of Burials has also been kept, but it is not proposed that these should meantime be printed.

Taken as a whole the registers have been kept with commendable care.

A. E. S.

APPENDIX No. I.

Original Constitution, S. Paul's, 1722

WEE, Subscrybers, who have annexed our designations to our respective subscriptionds, and the date of our signing hereof, considering that wee have caused build in the burgh of Aberdeen, an Episcopall Meeting House, for our accommodation, upon voluntary contributionds already debursed in purchasing the groundright thereof, and building the said Meeting House, very far exceeds the voluntary contributionds already collected or subscrybed for. Therfore (and for the further compleeting of the said work and managing the concerns of the said Meeting House) we all unanimouslee condescend and agree, in manner following, viz.: Wee having perused the accompts of the charge of building the said Meeting House, and of the price of the ground-right thereof, wee find the same amount to about the soume of One Thousand Pounds sterling money, and which accompts wee hereby ratifie and approve: And that of the above Thousand Pounds there is only got in and receeved by Robert Catanach, Merchant in Aberdeen, Accomptant, about Three Hundreth and Thretie Pounds sterling: And that there is already borrowed from William Earle of Aberdeen Two Thousand Merks Scots, for which Patrick Bannerman, William Simson, James Gordon, Ardmellie, William Strachan, Robert Pittendrigh, John Gordon of Kinellar, Merchants in Aberdeen, and Doctor John Gordon, Physician there, stand bound; and from William Forbes, Fernbog, the soume of Fourteen Hundreth Eighty-three Pounds Scots, for which James Gordon of Barro, Thomas Burnett of Kirkhill, Patrick Smith of Inveramsay, James Catanach, Merchant in Aberdeen, the saids John Gordon of Kinellar, and William Simson, and Robert Moor, and Alexander Strachan, Merchants in Aberdeen, stand bound, and that towards the defraying the pressing debts contracted for account of the said Meeting House, there is present necessitie for borrowing a further soume of Three Hundreth Punds sterland; and that wee find it necessary that there be Managers appointed yearly for overseeing the said work, compleeting thereof, and managing the same in tyme coming, wee hereby name and appoint the said Dr. John Gordon, James Catanach, John Gordon of Kinellar, Thomas Burnat,

Robert Pittendreigh, James Gordon, Ardmellie, William Strachan, and James Dyce, and John Burnet, Powis, Merchant in Aberdeen, and William Simpson, Merchant there, or any three authorised by the rest, to be Manadgers and overseers of the said Meeting House, for the year One Thousand Seven Hundreth and Twenty-two, and Robert Catanach foresaid to be there accomptant, with full power to them to borrow the foresaid soume of Three Hundreth Punds sterland, for paying the foresaid pressing debts ; and during the foresaid year, to call for, uplift, and receive what contributionds are already signed for and not received, and to procure and receive what voluntary contributionds they or either of them can solicit or procure, and to give all necessary directionds and orders anent the furnishing the said Meeting House with seats, or further accomplishing and finishing all work relating to the said Meeting House, to pay the minister, the minister serving the cure there, and to uplift and receive and give out all soume or soumes of money arising from the public offering in the said Meeting House, or that shall arise from the rents of the seats to be built therein, or any other manner of way, during the tyme foresaid, and generally every other thing to do anent the premises that to them shall seem just and requisite. The saids Manadgers, by there acceptation hereof, being always bound and obleedged to make just count, reckoning and clearance of their intromissionds and manadgement during the foresaid space: And for the releeving of the haill forenamed persons, present Manadgers, or those who stand bound and engaged for the debts already contracted or to be contracted, anent the said Meeting House, in manner above expressed, wee hereby impower the said James Catanach, in whose person the property and ground-right of the said Meeting House stands, to grant to the said persons so engaged or to be engaged, an ample and valid right and securitie for their releef and payment of the soumes of money for which they stand engaged affecting the foresaid Meeting House, and ground-right thereof, be advice of men of law and judgement. And lastly, wee hereby impower the saids Patrick Bannerman and James Catanach to sidescrybe this present Agreement and Condescendence, in name of us subscrybing and the said Manadgers, which we hereby declare to be as valid, sufficient, and effectuall, to all intents and purposes, as if the same was sidescrybed by all of us, consenting to the registration hereof in the books of Counsell and Session, or any other judges court books competant, therein to remain for preservation, and constitute

our Prors. &c.

In witness whereof (writen be Alex. Gordon, Advocat in Aberdeen, on these two sheets of stamped paper) wee have subscrybed these presents, at Aberdeen, the respective dates annexed to our subscryptions, before these witnesses, James

Stewart, Gardener in Aberdeen, and George Wright, servant to Alex. Cooper, Master of the Music School of Aberdeen—

The first day of Feby. One Thousand Seven Hundred and Twenty-two Years.

George Wright, witness.
James Stewart, witness.

PATT. BANNERMAN, Mercht in Aberdeen.
Date forsaid, ALEX. STRACHAN, Mercht. in Abdn.
Date forsaid, ALEX. GORDON, Advocat in Aberdeen.
Date forsaid, JOHN M'KENZIE, Mercht. in Aberdeen.
Date forsaid, J. COOPER, Mercht. in Abdn.
Date forsaid, RO. MOIR, Mercht. in Abdn.
Date forsaid, JO. DEUCHER, Mercht.
Daite forsaid, THOMAS SHAND.
Date forsaid, JO. CUTHBERT of Rosehall.
PAT. GRAY.
WILLM. FORBES, Merct. 3 Feby. 1722.
GEO. BURNETT, Senr.
GILBERT MOIR, Cooper, dat forsd.
JAMES CATANACH accepts, date forsd.
JO. GORDON, Physitian, accepts date forsd.
JOHN GORDON of Kinellar accepts, date forsd.
THO. BURNET of Kirkhill accepts, date forsd.
WILL. SIMSON, Merct. in Abdn. accepts, date forsd.
JAMES DYCE, Mercht. in Abdn. accepts, date forsd.
JOHN BURNET, Mercht. in Abdn. accepts, dat foresd.
JAMES GORDON, Mercht. in Abdn. date foresaid.
ROBERT PITTENDRIGH, Merct. in Abdn. date foresd.
WILLIAM STRACHAN, Mercht. in Abdn. accepts, date foresd.
ROBERT CATANACH accepts, date foresd. Merch. in Abdn.

PATT. BANNERMAN.
JAMES CATANACH.

APPENDIX No. II.

Deed of Union between The Scottish Episcopal Church and S. Paul's Church in Aberdeen, 1841

WE, Sir Michael Bruce of Stenhouse, Baronet, Preses of, and authorised by, a Committee appointed by the Constituent Members of St. Paul's Chapel in Aberdeen, upon the twenty-sixth day of November last, to carry into effect and conclude the Union of the Congregation of said Chapel with the Scottish Episcopal Church, and Patrick Simpson, Esquire, one of the Bailies of Aberdeen, and Preses of, and authorised by, the Managers of said Chapel, at their Meeting, held here upon the ninth day of January current, CONSIDERING that the Ministers and Congregation of St. Paul's Chapel should be placed under Episcopal authority, and, as the only means of obtaining the same within our power, should join the Scottish Episcopal Church, do hereby promise, in name of, and acting for, the said Constituent Members of Saint Paul's Chapel, to pay all spiritual obedience to the Right Reverend William Skinner, and his successors in the office of Bishop, in the Diocese of Aberdeen, under the following Articles and Conditions of Union on our part, which we hereby declare to be the Articles and Conditions under which we join the Scottish Episcopal Church, namely:—That all the present rights and privileges of the Members of Saint Paul's Chapel (particularly as set forth in the Constitution or Decree-Arbitral pronounced by the late George Moir of Scotstown, Esquire, and extension thereof—copies of which are herewith produced, and signed as relative hereto), shall remain entire and be secured in the Union, more particularly the choice of the Clergymen, the sole management of the Funds, and the continued use and preservation to the Chapel of the exclusive use of the Liturgy, including the Catechism of the Church of England, none of which rights and privileges shall be infringed upon, without incurring the Dissolution of the said Voluntary Union. And we farther promise to call upon and require our Clergymen for the time being to subscribe the Canons of the said Scottish Episcopal Church, in the form prescribed (but always in accordance with the continued use of the Book of Common Prayer of the Church of England), so that the Congregation may be henceforth constituted and recognised as a regular Congregation of said Church before-mentioned. In

witness whereof, we have subscribed these presents (written on this page of paper, by Lewis Nicoll, Junior, Writer in Aberdeen), in name of and by appointment of, said Meetings, at Aberdeen, the twelfth day of January, Eighteen Hundred and Forty-one Years, before witnesses, Lewis Nicoll, Advocate in Aberdeen, and Lewis Nicoll, Junior, writer hereof.

(Signed) MICHAEL BRUCE.
PATRICK SIMPSON.

LEWIS NICOLL, *Witness.*
LEWIS NICOLL, Junior, *Witness.*

The foregoing Articles and Conditions of Union with the Scottish Episcopal Church, which are most amply guaranteed by the Canons of said Church in every particular, together with the promise on the part of the Constituent Members and Managers of St. Paul's Chapel in Aberdeen to pay all spiritual obedience to the Right Reverend William Skinner, and his successors in the office of Bishop, in the Diocese of Aberdeen, and their farther promise to call upon and require the Clergymen of St. Paul's Chapel for the time being to subscribe the Canons of the said Scottish Episcopal Church, in the form prescribed, are hereby most cordially acceded to, and confirmed, and the Congregation of St. Paul's Chapel in Aberdeen henceforth CONSTITUTED and RECOGNISED as a regular Congregation of the foresaid Episcopal Church. At Aberdeen, the fourteenth day of January, One Thousand, Eight Hundred and Forty-one, by

(Signed) W. SKINNER, D.D.,
Bishop of Aberdeen.

APPENDIX No. III.

List of Ministers who have served the Cure of S. Paul's

I. Principal or First Ministers

1720. Aug. 2. Revd. Dr. Joseph Robertson was appointed by the Deed of Foundation. M.A., Mar. Coll., 1700. He ceased to be minister about December, 1723.

1721. Dec. 17. Revd. James Main, who had been Assistant to Dr. Robertson, had the sole charge from 1723 till 1726.

1726. Nov. 29. Revd. Dr. Patrick Cockburn, M.A., Edin., 1705. He resigned in 1739.

1741. Feb. 1. Revd. John Gordon, M.A., Mar. Coll., 1737; D.D., 1764. He retired in 1789.

1789. Jan. 6. Revd. Roderick McLeod, M.A. Promoted from second minister to first minister. D.D., King's Coll., 1793. He resigned in 1793.

1793. July. Revd. James Deans. Promoted from second minister to first minister. He resigned in 1808.

1808. Revd. James Cordiner, M.A. Promoted from second minister to first minister. He retired in 1834.

1836. Revd. John Brown. Promoted from second minister to first minister. He resigned in 1840.

1840. Revd. Isaac Harris. Promoted sole Incumbent, and acted as such till 1842, when he resigned.

1842. April 9. Revd. Sir William Dunbar, Bart., S.C.L., Oxon., 1830. He was sole incumbent till 1848, when the Revd. Samuel Abraham Walker was appointed second minister. From 1853 till 1 January, 1855, Sir William was sole incumbent, when he resigned.

1855. Dec. 3. Revd. Joshua Kirkman, B.A., Cantab, 1851. He resigned in 1858.

1858. Nov. 1. Revd. Frederick William Bryon Bouverie, B. ès L. He resigned in 1869.

1870. May 17. Revd. Samuel Clark. He resigned in 1875.

1875. Apr. 29. Revd. Thomas William Bray, B.A., Cantab, 1864. He resigned in 1878.
1878. Sept. 5. Revd. Samuel Clark. He resigned in 1886.
1886. July 9. Revd. George William Rowntree, M.A., Cantab, 1879. He resigned in 1894.
1894. June 1. Revd. William Fairclough, B.A., Durham, 1884. He resigned in 1898.
1898. Oct. 6. Revd. Edwin Ernest Marshall, M.A., Cantab, 1896.

II. Second Ministers and Assistants.

1721. Dec. 17. Revd. James Main was assistant to Dr. Robertson till 1723. Had sole charge till 1726, and, after Dr. Cockburn's appointment, continued assistant to him till 1728.
1739. June 1. Revd. Alexr. Keith held temporary charge till Dr. Gordon's appointment, and acted as second or assistant minister till 1745.
1740. March 1. Revd. Taylor Thirkeld, M.A., Oxon., 1730. Temporary from this date to 30 May same year.
1740. June 29. Revd. Mr. Harper. Temporary from this date to 29 March, 1741.
1746. Dec. 14. Revd. William Sewell, M.A., Oxon., 1745. He resigned in 1748.
1748. Oct. 10. Revd. Thomas Moses, M.A., King's Coll., 1757. He resigned in 1757.
1757. June 19. Revd. James Riddoch, M.A., King's Coll., 1759. He died in 1779.
1780. Jan. 6. Revd. James Paterson. He died in 1782.
1782. Mar. 19. Revd. Roderick McLeod, M.A., King's Coll., 1773. He was promoted first minister in 1789.
1790. Dec. 20. Revd. James Deans, Mar. Coll., 1778-80. He was promoted first minister in 1793.
1793. Mar. 20. Revd. Alexander Alcock, M.A., Trin. Coll., Dubl., 1770. He died in 1807.
1807. May 26. Revd. James Cordiner, M.A., King's Coll., 1793. He was promoted first minister in 1808.
1809. July 4. Revd. William Wilkinson, M.A., Cantab, 1806. He resigned in 1822.

1823.	Jan.	21.	Revd. John Brown. He was promoted first minister in 1836.
1834	July	1.	Revd. Charles Clark, M.A., Trin. Coll., Dublin, 1832. He was assistant to Mr. Cordiner till January, 1835.
1835.	July	2.	Revd. Bernard Moore, B.A., Cantab, 1824. He was assistant to Mr. Cordiner till 30 November, 1835.
1836.	Mar.	17.	Revd. Isaac Harris. He was promoted first minister in 1840.
1848.	Sept.	14.	Revd. Samuel Abraham Walker, M.A., Trin. Coll., Dublin, 1837. He resigned in 1853.
1854.	June	17.	Revd. Samuel D. Carter. He held temporary appointment, which he resigned in 1855.

ANE REGISTER BOOK

BELONGING TO

ST PAULS CHAPEL OF ABERDEEN

Ane Register off the Childrens Names
Baptized by Joseph Robertson Doctor of
Divinity Minister of S^{t} pauls Chapell and oyrs

1720

Elphinston August 14 Hary Elphinston Tyd Surveyor att Aberdeen had a Son Baptized by M^{r} Rob^{t}son Called John wittnesess Doctor John Gordon and M^{r} John Rickert of Auchnacant

McCulloch August 23 Roderick M^{c}Culloch glover in Abd^{n} had a son Baptized by M^{r} Rob^{t}son called William Wittnesess William Spence and William Walker Hookmakers

Gordon August 27 M^{r} John Gordon of Kineller merch^{t} in Abd^{n} had a Son Baptized by M^{r} Rob^{t}son called James Wittnesess James Gordon of Barns and James Cattanach Merch^{t}

Tower August 27 Robert Tower Merch^{t} in Abd^{n} had a Daughter baptized by M^{r} Rob^{t}son Called Christian Wittnesess John Burnet Poles and Thomas Niven Merch^{ts}

Paul September 3 Andrew Paull gairdiner in Abd^{n} had a Son baptized by M^{r} Rob^{t}son called William Wittnesess William Smith Blacksmith and William Clerk gardner *

* The entries on this page are given *verbatim et literatim* from the original Register. From page 30 onward they are abbreviated by the omission of all unnecessary words such as "had a," "baptized," "called," the name of the officiating clergyman (unless other than that given in the general heading), the place of residence of parents or witnesses (unless other than Aberdeen). The father's surname is not repeated, obvious contractions are extended, and the indiscriminate use of capital letters is abandoned.

1720.

Sept. 11. **Ross,** John, flesher: daughter Isobell. Witnesses: Alexander Charles, advocate; Robert Weir, perriwige maker.

16. **Lyall,** William, taylor: son William. Witnesses: William Kelly, maltman; William Spence, hookmaker.

20. **Horn,** James, baxter: son George. Witnesses: George Burnet, senior; George Robertson, goldsmith.

McDonald, Alexander, indweller: son Alexander. Witnesses: Alexander Allan, saddler; Alexander Leskpost.

24. **Catto,** Alexander, merchant: son Alexander. Witnesses: Alexander Strachan and Alexander Gordon, Clumy, merchants.

25. **Sandison,** Thomas, mason: daughter Jannet. Witnesses: Robert Smith, blacksmith; Alexander Frazer, glover.

Oct. 13. **Dunn,** William, shipmaster: son William. Witnesses: William Forbess, senior, and William Strachan, merchants.

21. **Hill,** Alexander, junr., taylor: daughter Jane. Witnesses: Patrick Ross, merchant; Patrick Gray, wright.

24. **Ross,** Patrick, merchant: daughter Jean. Witnesses: James Robertson, late Bailie; Hugh Ross, pewterer.

29. **Dyce,** James, merchant: daughter Jannet. Witnesses: James Brebner and William Strachan, merchants.

Nov. 17. **Mitchell,** William, farmer: daughters Marjory and Jean. Witnesses: John Lyal, maltman; Thomas Fiddess, farmer.

20. **Gilespie,** William, indweller: son Alexander. Witnesses: Alexander Scott, shipmaster; Alexander Fraser, glover.

30. **Cassie,** Andrew, writer: daughter Isobell. Witnesses: Alexander Mill, clerk deput; William Forbess, merchant.

Dec. 5. **Gordon,** Charles, of Ruthlan: daughter Jane. Witnesses: John Gordon of Kineler; John Gordon, doctor of phisick.

23. **Lesly,** Andrew, perriwig maker: son Alexander. Witnesses: Alexander Cooper, master of musick school; Alexander Hill, taylor

1721.

Jan. 4. **Glegg,** Robert, blacksmith: daughter Margaret. Witnesses: Robert Smith, blacksmith; Robert Smith, sadler.

10. **Gordon,** Alexander, comishar clark deput: son John. Witnesses: Mr. John Gordon, Civilist in the Kings Colledg; Mr. John Cuthbert, advocate.

27. **Shand,** James, couper: son Alexander. Witnesses: Alexander Strachen and Alexander Gordon, senior, merchants.

1721.

Jan. 27. **Gray,** Alexander, merchant: daughter Margaret. Witnesses: George Douglass and Alexander Ragg, merchants.

Feb. 2. **Milln,** William, indweller: son Alexander. Witnesses: Alexander Hunter, Alexander Austin, merchants.

9. **Molyson,** William, indweller: son William. Witnesses: William Raitt and William Milne, farmers.

27. **Massie,** Francis, barber: son Edward. Witnesses: William Alexander, litster; George Cattanch, barber.

Mar. 11. **Garden,** William, gardener: son George. Witnesses: George Ross, son to Patrick Ross, merchant; George Porter, maltman.

April 9. **McKenzie,** Donald, indweller: son Andrew. Witnesses: Andrew Aitkin and Andrew Craighead, indwellers.

10. **Kynzeach,** John, horse-hirer: son John. Witnesses: John Barron, mason; John Burnett, horse-hirer.

12. **Smith,** James, maltman: daughter Marjory. Witnesses: Thomas Burnet, litster; John Mowat, merchant.

15. **Cromar,** John, wright: daughter Margaret. Witnesses: George Robertson, goldsmith; Patrick Gray, wright.

25. **Seller,** Alexander, shipmaster: son William. Witnesses: William Forbess and William Chalmer, merchants.

May 13. **Donald,** Alexander, workman: son William. Witnesses: William Dugud, merchant; William Donald, baxter.

16. **Longlands,** William, cook: son John. Witnesses: John Douglas, son to Whittrigs; John Maul, writter.

28. **Marr,** William, workman: son John. Witnesses: John Marr, elder; John Marr, younger, flesher.

31. **Dark,** Thomas, late tyd waiter: daughter Margaret. Witnesses: Robert Cattanach, merchant; John Normand, land waiter.

June 3. **Simpson,** George, merchant: son Alexander. Witnesses: Alexander Strachen and Alexander Catto, merchants.

22. **Smith,** Robert, blacksmith: daughter Isobel. Witnesses: William Forbess, senior, and Robert Cattannach, merchants.

25. **Riach,** Alexander, weaver: daughter Margaret. Witnesses: Alexander Lighton and Donald Riach, weavers.

July 25. **Strachan,** William, merchant: daughter Isobell. Witnesses: James Brebner and James Dyce, merchants.

Aug. 3. **Fraser,** Alexander, glover: son Alexander. Witnesses: Alexander Fraser, younger, of Powies; Alexander Scott, shipmaster.

1721.

Aug. 9. **Thomson,** Alexander, chapman: son John. Witnesses: John Mowat, and John Troup, merchants.

15. **Morrison,** Kenneth, perriwig-maker: daughter Jean. Witnesses: William Forbess and John Strachen, merchants.

16. **Lyall,** John, maltman: son James. Witnesses: James Thomson and James Leonard, perriwig-maker.

18. **Smith,** James, blacksmith: daughter Jean. Witnesses: Patrick Gray, wright; Gilbert Moir, cooper.

20. **Adam,** Robert, younger, horse-hirer: daughter Jannet. Witns.: John Gordon of Kineler and Robert Cattanach, merchants.

22. **Smith,** Alexander, barber: daughter Jean. Witnesses: William Forbess and Robert Cattanach, merchants.

23. **Duncan,** David, sailor: son David. Witnesses: David Fyff, merchant; David Speediman, glover.

Sept. 13. **Gordon,** John, of Kineller: son Alexander. Witnesses: Alexander Gordon, advocate; Alexander Gordon, son to Alexander.

Bain, Roderick, coppersmith: daughter Elizabeth. Witnesses: William Shirriss, merchant; Pattrick Thomson of the gramer school.

24. **Hunter,** Alexander, merchant: daughter Sophia. Witnesses: Robert Pittendreich and John Smith, merchants.

Milne, George, indweller: son James. Witnesses: James Shand, couper; James Milne, barber.

27. **Simpson,** William, merchant: son James. Witnesses: James Cattanach, late bailie; Alexander Strachan, merchants.

28. **Logie,** Alexander, tydwaiter: son William. Witnesses: William Chalmer and Robert Pittendrich, merchants.

Oct. 1. **Anderson,** James, wright: daughter Isobell. Witnesses: Robert Cattanach, merchant; William Alexander, litster.

4. **Knolls,** James, sailor: son James. Witnesses: Mr. James Thomson, minister; James Thom, merchant.

8. **Summers,** William: daughter Isobel. Witnesses: James Stewart, indweller; John Stewart, his son.

11. **Coutts,** James, merchant: daughter Elizabeth. Witnesses: George Mowat, junr., and Alexander Smith, jun, merchants.

Craig, Alexander: daughter Elizabeth. Witnesses: Alexander Catto and John Smith, merchants.

12. **Moor,** Robert, merchant: daughter Margaret. Witnesses: Sr. Patrick Bannerman, late provost; Pattrick Duff, advocate.

1721.

Dec. 7. **Ross,** Patrick, merchant: son Arthur. Witnesses: Arthur Forbes, bailie; James Robertson, late bailie.

22. **Mowat,** John, merchant: son William. Witnesses: William Johnston of Craig; William Alexander, littster.

1722.

Jan. 14. **Braens,** William, in Footie: daughter Agnas. Witnesses: Alexander Scott, shipmaster; Alexander Sheperd, rope-maker.

15. **Duncan,** William, workman: son George. Witnesses: George Cattanach, barber; George Duncan, maltman.

16. **Smith,** Patrick, advocate: daughter Clementina. Witnesses: Alexander Carr, and Patrick Duff, advocate.

20. **Frazer,** James, barber: daughter Jean. Witnesses: Alexander Catto, and George Simpson, merchants.

21. **Duchison,** John, shoe-maker: daughter Ann. Witnesses: Patrick Gray, wright; George Robertson, shoe-maker.

28. **Horn,** James, baxter: son John. Witnesses: John Burnett and John Gordon, Kineller, merchants.

29. **Dyce,** Alexander, merchant: daughter Elizabeth. Witnesses: John Deuchars and James Thom, merchants.

Feb. 8. **Ross,** William, innkeeper: daughter Ann. Witnesses: Patrick Ross, merchant; Patrick Gray, convener.

13 **Speediman,** David, glover: son William. Witnesses: William Forbess, merchant; William Dun, shipmaster.

14. **Couper,** William, maltman: son William. Witnesses: William Wallace, plumber; William Cooper, joiner.

22. **Aberdein,** Alexander, merchant: son James. Witnesses: James Brebner and Thomas Shand, merchants.

Ogilvie, James, comptroler: daughter Kathren. Witnesses: Alexander Gordon and John Gordon, merchants.

23. **Catto,** Alexander, merchant: son James. Witnesses: James Cattanach and James Dyce, merchants.

Mar. 4. **Gray,** John, indweller: son George. Witnesses: Alexander Catto, merchant; Thomas Smith, couper.

7. **Smith,** John, merchant, junr.: daughter Jean. Witnesses: John McKenzie and Alexander Hunter, merchants.

14. **Muir,** Mathew, cardmaker: daughter Helen. Witnesses: Patrick Black, merchant; James Milne, barber.

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April 8. **Leslie,** Patrick, hatt dresser: daughter Elspet (Mr. James Main, minister of St. Pauls Chapell).[1] Witnesses: Alexander Midlton, capt.; Robert Cattanach, merchant.

23. **Adam,** John, indweller: daughter Margaret (Mr. Main). Witnesses: James Stewart and John, his son.

May 17. **Reid,** Robert, indweller: son James (Mr. Main). Witnesses: James Simpson, merchant; James Stewart, indweller.

June 12. **Massie,** Francis, barber: son Francis. Witnesses: William Kellie, maltman; George Cattanach, barber.

13. **Rolland,** John, mason: son James (Mr. Main). Witnesses: James Cattanach, bailie; James Milne, barber.

17. **Duff,** Alexander, baxter: daughter Clementina (Mr. Main). Witnesses: Sir Patrick Bannerman, provost, and Robert Catanach, merchants; Clementina Bannerman, daughter to said P.B. and Clementina Smith.

24. **Wattson,** Robert, workman: son Robert (Mr. Main). Witnesses: Robert Moor and Robert Cattanach, merchants.

July 1. **Gray,** David, surgeon: son Patrick (Mr. Main). Witnesses: Patrick Gray and Patrick Black, merchants.

28. **Beattie,** James, mason: daughter Ann (Mr. Main). Witnesses: Patrick Ross and John Burnet, merchants.

29. **Donaid,** Alexander, workman: son Alexander (Mr. Main). Witnesses: James Milne, barber; George Leonard.

Aug. 18. **Wilson,** William, indweller: son John (Mr. Main) Witnesses: John Wilson and Robert Smith, blacksmiths.

31. **Gordon,** William, gardener: son John (Mr. Simon). Witnesses: John Mowat; merchant; John Forbess, maltman.

Sept. 12. **Turner,** William, indweller: daughter Rachell (Mr. Main). Witnesses: James Smith, blacksmith; Rachel Anderson.

14. **Dunn,** William, shipmaster: daughter Hellen. Witnesses: George Burnet, apothecary; Andrew Gerrard, shipmaster.

21. **Tower,** Robert, merchant: son John. Witnesses: John Durward and John Tower, merchants.

28. **Cassie,** Andrew, writer: son Andrew. Witnesses: Andrew Dyce, shipmaster; Andrew Moir, messenger.

1 Mr. Main was assistant to Dr. Robertson till 1723. Had sole charge till 1726, and was continued as assistant to Dr. Cockburn, Dr. Robertson's successor, till Whitsunday, 1728.

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Sept. 29. **Stewart,** James, indweller: son Joseph. Witnesses: Mr. Joseph Robertson, minister: Robert Catanach, merchant.

Oct. 5. **Shand,** James, couper: daughter Elizabeth. Witnesses: David Speedman and Gilbert Moor, coopers: William Kelly, maltman.

15. **Gordon,** John, of Lesmoir: son George. Witnesses: George Gordon, son to Colle[r] Gordon; John Gordon, doctor.

23. **Strachen,** William, merchant: son William. Witnesses: William Baxter, James Dyce and James Brebner, merchants.

Frazer, Alexander, glover: son William. Witnesses: William Forbess and William Shirris, merchants.

31. **Davidson,** William, post: son William (Mr. Main). Witnesses: William Smith and James Mark, wright.

Nov. 12. **Gordon,** Alexander, comisary clerk: son Richard. Witnesses: Richard Gordon and Robert Paterson, comisr.

20. **Dyce,** Alexander, merchant: son John. Witnesses: John Deuchars and John Burnet.

26. **Robertson,** George, goldsmith: daughter Rachell. Witnesses: George Stephen, late Dean of Guild; John Anderson, shipmaster.

Dec. 1. **Logie,** Alexander, land waiter: daughter Elizabeth. Witnesses: Patrick Smith of Inneramsay and Hary Elphinston.

20. **Christal,** William, wright: son William. Witnesses: William Moor, cooper; George Cristal, indweller.

21. **Simpson,** George, merchant: daughter Jean. Witnesses: Robert Cattanach and Alexander Catto, merchants.

30. **Forbess,** John of Kincairn: son Charles. Witnesses: Charles Banerman, son of Provost Bannerman; John Culbert of Rosehall.

1723.

Jan. 5. **Coupland,** William, shoemaker: son Alexander. Witnesses: Alexander Burnet, couper; Alexander Kemp, mason.

30. **McCulloch,** Roderick, glover: son Patrick. Witnesses: Patrick Gray, conveener; William Spere, hooker.

Feb. 17. **Thomson,** James, tobaconist: daughter Christian (Mr. Main). Witnesses: Alexander Aberdein and George Mowat, junr., merchants.

Mar. 13. **Speediman,** David, glover: son James. Witnesses: James Dyce, merchant; James Smith, shipmaster in Stonhyve.

24. **Gordon,** John, workman: son William. Witnesses: William Johnston, pewterer; William Menzes, litster.

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Mar. 24. **Riach,** Alexander, weaver: daughter Jannet. Witnesses: James and William Davidson, weavers.

28. **Thomson,** William, taylor: son Robert. Witnesses: Robert Smith, blacksmith; Robert Bannerman, carpenter.

29. **Gray,** Alexander, merchant: son James (Mr. Main). Witnesses: James Gordon and William Forbes, merchants.

April 2. **Smith,** Alexander, merchant: son Alexander. Witnesses: James Smith and James Mackie, maltmen.

3. **Gray,** John, indweller: daughter Jean (Mr. Main). Witnesses: Alexander Hill, taylor; Alexander Smout, miller.

7. **Bain,** Roderick, copersmith: daughter Kathren. Witnesses: David Speediman, Patrick Gray, conveener.

15. **Alexander,** William, litster: son Walter. Witnesses: Walter Temple, maltman; Walter Massie.

17. **Sailor,** Alexander, shipmaster: son Alexander. Witnesses: Alexander Aberdein and Alexander Strachen, merchants.

20. **Ross,** Andrew: daughter Marjorie (Mr. Main). Witnesses: George Cattanach and John Ritchie, merchants.

May 2. **Smith,** James, maltman: daughter Margaret. Witnesses: John Burnet and William Menzies, litsters.

3. **Gordon,** James, of Techmuiry: daughter Elizabeth. Witnesses: Mr. Lewis Gordon of Kinmundy, Doctor James Urquhart.

9. **Aberdein,** Alexander, merchant: son William (Mr. Main). Witnesses: William Gordon of Govel; William Strachen, merchant.

13. **Coutts,** James, merchant. son John (Mr. Main). Witnesses: John Burnet, litster; William Gray, maltman.

19. **Lyal,** John, maltman: daughter Ann. Witnesses: Patrick Gray, wright; Alexander Irvin, baxter.

Longlands, William: son Silvester (Mr. Main). Witnesses: Silvester Douglass of Whitriggs; William Ragg, merchant.

July 13. **Ross,** Patrick, merchant: son Francis (Mr. Main). Witnesses: Mr. Francis Ross and Francis Ross, my brother.

Douglass, George, of Whiteriggs: son Silvester. Witnesses: Silvester Douglas of Whitrigs, Provost Bannerman.

Aug. 3. **Clerk,** John, merchant: son Alexander. Witnesses: Alexander Gordon and Alexander Thomson, advocats.

Watt, William, workman: son George (Mr. Main). Witnesses: George Cattanach and William Fyff, maltman.

1723.

Aug. 8. **Elphinston,** Hary, tydsman: son John. Witnesses: Sir Patrick Bannerman, late provost; Alexander Logie, tydesman.

24. **Mowat,** John, merchant: son Daniel. Witnesses: Daniel Farqrson, shipmaster; Daniel Hamilton, merchant.

29. **Gordon,** Dr. John: son Patrick (Mr. Main). Witnesses: Patrick Bannerman and Patrick Duff and Patrick Gordon.

Sept. 30. **Hary,** Alexander: daughter Jannet. Witnesses: William Strachen and Alexander Martin.

Oct. 13. **Main,** Mr. James, minister: son Robert. Witnesses: James Cattanach, late bailie; and James Dyce, merchants.

Nov. 4. **Cumming,** James, indweller: daughter Margrat (Mr. Main). Witnesses: William Souper and Robert Cumming, merchants.

Dec. 17. **Catto,** Alexander, merchant: daughter Bessie. Witnesses: William Strachan, merchant; and Alexander Thomson, advocat.[1]

1 Last Baptism by Dr. Joseph Robertson. After this Mr. Main had sole charge till November, 1726, and was continued assistant to Dr. Cockburn till Whitsunday, 1728.

[Baptized by Mr. James Main.]

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Dec. 27. **Hay,** Charles: daugher Elizabeth. Witnesses: Andrew Cassio and James Strachen, merchants.

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Jan. 30. **McLachlan,** barber: daughter Isobel. Witnesses: John Mowat and James Smith, maltmen.

Feb. 9. **Gordon,** John, Lesmoor: son John. Witnesses: Alexander Gordon, colector; John Gordon, his son.

21. **Spring,** Alexander: daughter Margaret. Witnesses: John Molyson, maltman; Francis Massie, barber.

April 2. **Molyson,** John, maltman: son John. Witnesses: John Sligo, wheelwright; John Taylor.

4. **Davidson,** Abraham, merchant: son John. Witnesses ohn Burnet and John Cattanach, merchants.

10. **Knols,** James, sailor: son George. Witnesses: George Mowat and George Johnston, merchants.

12. **Moor,** Robert, merchant: daughter Jean. Witnesses: Patrick Bannerman, late provost; Doctor John Gordon.

May 1. **Strachen,** James, merchant: son James. Witnesses: James Moir, cooper; James Watson, merchant.

29. **Baxter,** William, shipmaster: son Alexander. Witnesses: Alexander Aberdein, merchant; Alexander Sailor, shipmaster.

June 28. **Kirkpatrick,** Robert: daughter Elizabeth. Witnesses: George Robertson and William Hay.

July 14. **Gordon,** Alexander, of Taichmyrie: daughter Kaithren. Witns.: Mr. Lewis Gordon; John Burnet, bailie.

21. **Duckison,** John: daughter Jean. Witnesses: Pattrick Gray, wright; John Smith, merchant.

Aug. 4. **Turner,** William: son Alexander. Witnesses: Alexander Milne and Alexander Smith, merchants.

15. **Dyce,** Alexander, merchant: daughter Agnus. Witnesses: John Deuchars of Fornat; James Dyce, merchant.

26. **Anderson,** Thomas, weaver: son George. Witnesses: George Sheperd, merchant; George Robertson.

28. **Douglass,** Mr. George, yor., of Whitriggs: daughter Isobell. Witnesses: Provost Bannerman; James Cattanach, bailie.

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Sept. 5. **Coutts,** James, merchant: son William. Witnesses: William Menzies, litster; and William Johnston, pewterer.

17. **Allan,** George, gairdner at Robslaw: daughter Hellen. Witns.: John Mowat and William Fyff, farmer.

20. **Simpson,** George, merchant: son George. Witnesses: George Maitland, merchant; George Robertson, goldsmith.

27. **Smith,** Patrick, Inneramsay: daughter Susanna. Witnesses: Alexander Kerr and Livtennant Gordon.

Oct. 17. **Logie,** Alexander, waiter: daughter Jannet. Witnesses: Harrie Elphinston, land waiter; James Stewart.

Dec. 27. **Hay,** Charles, shipmaster: daughter Elizabeth. Witnesses: Andrew Cassie, advocate; James Strachan, merchant.

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Jan. 9. **Aberdein,** Alexander: daughter Christian. Witnesses: Major Thomas Gordon; James Irvine, advocat.

10. **Robertson,** Robert, cardmaker: son William. Witnesses: William Spence, hooker; William Johnston, pewterer.

Feb. 20. **Shand,** James, cooper: daughter Hellen. Witnesses: George Marr, merchant; William Kelly, maltster.

Mar. 10. **Shand,** Thomas, of Craig: son Thomas. Witnesses: Alexander Aberdein, merchant; Thomas Mosman, writter.

Marr, William, laxfisher: son William. Witnesses: Alexander Marr and Alexander Hay.

26. **Lyal,** William, taylor: daughter Agnass. Witnesses: James Alardis and Alexander Christie, merchants.

29. **Thomson,** James, beddel of St. Pauls Chapell of Aberdeen: daughter Elizabeth. Witnesses: John Crookshank and William Couper, maltmen.

30. **Smith,** Alexander: son Robert. Witnesses: Robert Smith and James Smith, his brothers.

May 9. **Smith,** William, taylor: daughter Christian. Witnesses: John Ritchie, merchant; George Robertson, shoemaker.

June 20. **Procter,** John, flesher: son Robert. Witnesses: Robert Moor, merchant; Robert Weir, perriwigmaker.

Aug. 17. **Elphinston,** Harrie, tyd waiter: son William. Witnesses: William Urquhart and William Forbes, Dusie.

Oct. 10. **Kirkpatrick,** Robert, indweller: daughter Christian. Witnesses: John Smith and John Moor, sailor.

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Oct. 26. **Hunter,** Alexander, merchant: daughter Elizabeth. Witnesses: John McKenzie and Jno. Smith, merchants.

19. **Dirom,** Alexander, wright: son Alexander. Witnesses: Alexander Hill, taylor; Alexander Dollar, wright.

28. **Strachan,** William, cloathier: daughter Agnas. Witnesses: James Dyce, merchant; Alexander Strachen, merchant.

30. **Strachan,** James, merchant: son Gilbert. Witnesses: Gilbert Moor and Gilbert Duff, coopers.

Nov. 2. **Knolls,** James, sailor: daughter Isobel. Witnesses: John Mowat, merchant; John Burnet, litster.

Dec. 15. **Horn,** James, baxter: daughter Elizabeth. Witnesses: Robert Smith, blacksmith; Robert Meunnes, wheelwright.

17. **Annan,** James, workman: daughter Jannet. Witnesses: James Dyce and James Brebner, merchants.

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Jan. 4. **Davidson,** Abraham, merchant: child Christian. Witnesses: Kenneth Irvin, shipmaster; James Irvine, writter.

20. **Hay,** Charles, shipmaster: daughter Hellen. Witnesses: John Hay and Andrew Cassie, writer.

21. **Douglas,** George, of Whytriggs: daughter Margaret. Witnesses: Provost Bannerman and Baillie Cattanach; Margaret Douglass and Margaret Cattanach.

Barron, Patrick, wright: son George. Witnesses: George Wilson, George Robertson, George Spence, George Simpson.

Mar. 16. **Allan,** George, gairdner: daughter Jean. Witnesses: Mr. George Skeen of Robslaw; John Mowat, merchant.

April 2. **McQuean,** Donald. Witnesses: Livetennant Gordon and Livt. McPharlin.

9. **Baxter,** William, shipmaster: daughter Jannet. Witnesses: George Robertson, goldsmith; John Cooper.

23. **Black,** John, tydwaiter: daughter Margaret. Witnesses: Provost Bannerman; Patrick Black, merchant.

May 15. **Mowat,** John, merchant: son George. Witnesses: Mr. George Skeen of Robslaw; George Mowat, senior, merchant.

17. **Walker,** Thomas: son Thomas. Witnesses: James Stewart and Alexander Walker.

18. **Freeman,** Alexander: son Alexander. Witnesses: Alexander Gilespy, tobacconist; Alexander Ross, laxfisher.

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May 20. **Bane,** Roderick, coppersmith: son Donald. Witnesses: Donald Murray and Donald Carngill, merchants.

28. **Smith,** Robert, blacksmith; daughter Janet. Witnesses: William Hepburn, merchant; John Taylor, clerk.

June 15. **Molyson,** John, maltman: son William. Witnesses: William Christal, wright; William Johnston, pewterer; William Young, merchant.

Sept. 11. **Soutter,** James: child Christian. Witnesses: James Souter, Alexander Hay, James Stewart.

12. **Anderson,** James, laxfisher: daughter Elspet. Witnesses: James Scott and Robert Craig, laxfishers.

17. **Robertson,** William, armorer: daughter Elizabeth. Witnesses: Alexander Charles, John Taylor, Elizabeth Gordon, Elizabeth Fyff.

18. **Snauie,** George, maltmaker: son Joseph. Witnesses: Joseph Masie and Joseph Stewart.

28. **Gray,** John, indweller: daughter Margaret. Witnesses: William Kelly, maltman; William Fitzgerald, perrigmaker.

Oct. 14. **Thomson,** John, indweller: two sons John and James. Witnesses: John Reed, John Davidson, James Robertson.

Nov. 16. **Molyson,** Francis: son John. Witnesses: John Gregory, John Couper, John Law.

Chesser, William: son Patrick. Witnesses: Provest Bannerman and John Crawford.

26. **Cattanach,** Robert, merchant: son Thomas. Witnesses: Thomas Mercer, Robert Moor, merchants.

Dec. 7. **Craig,** Robert: daughter Elizabeth. Witnesses: Robert Stewart, and John Craig.

14. **Duckison,** John, shoemaker: son John. Witnesses: John Taylor and John Gordon, writters; John Smith, shoemaker.

18. **Horn,** James, baxter: son William. Witnesses: William Alexander, litster; William Hepburn, merchant; William Christall, wright; William Smith, taylor.

Smith, Patrick, of Inveramsay: daughter Helen. Witnesses: Mr. Black of Haddo, Major Gordon, Lieutennant Gordon, Alexander Ker of Menie.

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Jan. 16. **Shand,** Thomas, of Craig: son William. Witnesses: Baillie Chalmers; Alexander Aberdeen, merchant; Thomas Hay.

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Jan. 22. **Austine,** Alexander, merchant: daughter Isobell. Witnesses: John Anderson, shipmaster; John Anderson, writter.

Feb. 8. **Gray,** Conveener: daughter Margaret. Witnesses: William Forbes, merchant; Robert Moor, merchant; Conveener Speedyman; Conveener Robertson.

16. **Pinkston,** Mr. William: daughter Margaret. Witnesses: James Brabner, baillie Lesly.

Mar. 18. **Harrow,** Alexander, flesher: son James. Witnesses: James Philp and James Martine.

April 9. **Smith,** Alexander, merchant: daughter Jean. Witnesses: James Smith and John Swape, writer.

May 10. **Strachan,** James, merchant: son John. Witnesses: John Burnet, merchant; John Deuchars, Fornet.

June 5. **Lyell,** William, taylor: daughter Helen. Witnesses: William Smith and Robert Joyner, taylors.

8. **Barron,** Patrick, wright: son Patrick. Witnesses: Mr. Patrick Bannerman, provest; Patrick Lesly, merchant; Patrick Gray, wright.

13. **Black,** John, shore waiter: daughter Isobell. Witnesses: Provest Bannerman, Pittodry; Alexander Smith, merchant.

30 **Strachan,** William, merchant: daughter Rachel. Witnesses: Alexander Strachan and John Strachan, merchants.

July 19. **Baxter,** Arthur, taylor: daughter Janet. Witnesses: Robert Craig, laxfisher; James Milne.

26. **Spark,** William: son William. Witnesses: William Spark, elder; William Spark, younger.

Dierie, Alexander, wright: son John. Witnesses: John Anderson, clerk; John Thomson, merchant.

Dirom, Alexander, burges and wright, and. Janet Reed, his spouse: son John. Witnesses: John Anderson, writer; John Molyson, maltman.[1]

1 Last Baptism by Mr. James Main.

[Baptised by Dr. Patrick Cockburn.][1]

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Aug. 8. **Leith**, Walter: daughter Jean. Witnesses: James Davidson and George Catanach.

9. **Walker**, William, litster: son William. Witnesses: Captain Alexander Midleton; James Fyfe, merchant; Mr. Alexander Gordon, Abergeldy.

20. **Allerdice**, James, merchant: daughter Catharin. Witnesses Provest Bannerman; Baillie Burnet; John Burnet, merchant.

27. **Robertson**, Robert, cairdmaker: son Robert (Mr. Main). Witnesses: Robert Smith, blacksmith; Robert Smith, sadler.

Sept. 25. **Keith**, James, in the Mains of Nether Banchorie: son James (Mr. Main). Witnesses: James Milne, junior.

28. **Durward**, John, merchant: son Patrick. Witnesses: Patrick Simpson of Kincraigie; Peter Simpson, son to William Simpson, merchant in Aberdeen.

Nov. 3. **Ross**, Andrew: daughter Isobell. Witnesses: David Speedyman and William Kelly.

11. **Hunter**, Alexander, merchant, and Jean Matheson: daughter Isabel. Witnesses: John McKenzie and John Smith, merchants.

13. **Dyce**, James, merchant: daughter Agnes. Witnesses: James Brebner, Andrew Dyce, and William Strachan, merchants; and Thomas Burnet of Kirkhill.

15. **Davidson**, John, merchant: son John. Witnesses: John Deuchars of Fornet; John Ritchie and Alexander Catto, merchants.

16. **Turner**, William: son Patrick. Witnesses: Patrick Anderson of Bourty; Patrick Simpson, Patrick Souper, Patrick Gellie, Patrick Black, merchants.

19. **Marr**, William: son William (Mr. Main). Witnesses: William Moir of Ferryhill; William Kelly, maltman.

Hunter, Alexander, merchant: daughter Isobell. Witnesses: John McKenzie and John Smith, merchants.

21. **Douglass**, George, of Whiteriggs, junior: son Robert. Witnesses: Provest Bannerman, Baillie Cattanach.

Dec. 4. **Gordon**, John, of Kinellar: daughter Catharin. Witns.: Baillie Cattanach, Alexander Fraiser, son of My Lord Fraiser.

1 Dr. Patrick Cockburn was appointed minister, 29th November, 1726. He resigned in 1739.

1727.

Dec. 4. **Knows**, James, sailer : son George (Mr. Main). Witnesses : George Mowat, merchant ; George Knows, taylor.

6. **Sangster**, William, daughter Anna. Witnesses : Alexander Burnet, William Reid and John Milne, maltman.

22. **Wiliks**, John and Mary : son John.

24. **Moir**, John : daughter Henrietta. Witnesses : James Gordon, James Petry, William Turner.

Oct. 9. **Willis**, Thomas, in Capt. Tomson's Company : son John.

18. **Metherel**, Joseph, in the same : son John.

26. **Pearse**, William, in the same : daughter Margaret.

Read, John, drummer in the same : son Charles.

Dec. 10. **Leslie**, Samuel, in the same : son John.

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Feb. 2. **Bennet**, Joseph, in the same : son Thomas.

5. **Clerk**, William, in the same : daughter Hannah.

April 13. **Steel**, Alexander, in Capt. Ellington's : daughter Margaret.

July 23. **Talbot**, John, in Capt. Tompson's : son John.

Jan. 18. **Mames**, James, wheelwright : daughter Margaret. Witnesses : Robert Mames, wheelwright ; William Johnston, pewterer ; James Horn and David Lindsay, baxters.

19. **Churchward**, Tobias, and Churchward, Margaret : daughter Jean. Witnesses : John Smith, Hens Logan. In Captain Tomson's Company.

21. **Chrystie**, John, stabler : son John (Mr. Main). Witnesses : John Taylor, John Barnet, John Chrystie and John Tower, merchant.

Feb. 10. **Calder**, James : daughter Jean. Witnesses : James Fiddes, merchant ; Robert Fiddes, gardiner.

15. **Smith**, William, taylor : daughter Anna. Witnesses : Mr. William Smith ; George Robertson, conveener ; Mrs. Anna Smith.

16. **Aberdeen**, Alexander, merchant : son Robert. Witnesses : John Anderson, Patrick Anderson, Alexander Livingston, merchant.

Thom, George, merchant : son William. Witnesses : William Alexander, litster ; Robert Cattanach, merchant.

18. **Anderson**, William, fermer : son John. Witnesses : John Matthew, John Edward.

Feb. 21. **Cruickshank**, William, weaver, and Margaret Milne, his wife : daughter Margaret. Witnesses : William Davidson, weaver ; Thomas Anderson, burges and weaver.

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Mar. 2. **Cumming,** Robert, merchant in New England in the City of Boston: son John. Witnesses: Dr. John Gordon; John Cumming, merchant; James Gordon of Barns.

April 3. **Anderson,** Alexander, weaver, son Alexander. Witnesses: Alexander Lighton and Alexander Young, weavers.

Smith, Alexander, merchant; son Alexander. Witnesses: Alexander Aberdeen, elder and younger, Alexander Catto, merchants. Alexander Smith of Blairdaff, merchant.

10. **Spring,** Robert, taylor, and Jannet Milne: daughter Jannet. Witnesses: David Moncrief, baxter; James Lamb, taylor.

26. **Gordon,** Robert, shoemaker: son James. Witnesses: James Thom, merchant; James Anderson, glasier; James Robertson.

30. **Moloison,** John, maltman: son John. Witnesses: John Mowat, merchant; John Swan, John Couper.

May 12. **Ross,** William, at Burnhead of Aberdeen: son John. Witnesses: John Mowat and John Davidson, merchants; John Forbes and John Watson, maltman.

15. **McKfarlin,** Lieutenant: son Henry. Witnesses: Major Gordon, Lieutenant Gordon, Lieutenant McQueen.

Wilson, James, cloth-seller and Jannet Jaffray; son Patrick. Witnesses: Peter Blenchel, maltman; William Baird, silk walker.

25. **Smith,** Thomas, canechair mender, a stranger; daughter Margaret. Witnesses: John Lyall, maltman; Robert Mowat, cook.

June 13. **Still,** Alexander, and Margaret Davidson: daughter Margaret. Witnesses: Patrick Preston and Robert Kilpatrick.

17. **Gellie,** Mr. James, Surveyor at his Majesty's Customehouse: son George. Witnesses: George Skeen of Robslaw; Dr. George Chalmers; Mr. Ogilvie, Comptroller; Doctor Gregory.

22. **Ritchie,** John, merchant: daughter Magdalen. Witnesses: Provest Bannerman, Baillie John Burnet and Alexander Westland, merchants.

26. **McQueen,** Lieutenant: daughter Carolina. Witnesses: Major Thomas Gordon; Lieutenants Gordon and McKfarlin; Captain Thomson with Lieutenant Valade.

July 18. **Elieis,** Alexander: son George. Witnesses: George Forbes merchant; George Hedderweek, gardiner.

30. **Gordon,** William; son William. Witnesses: William Gellie, William Johnston, pewterer; William Smith, taylor; William Cristall, wright.

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July 30. **Gray,** Conveener: daughter Wilet. Witnesses: William Forbes, merchant; Conveener Robertson and John Smith, shoemakers.

Aug. 22. **Fleming,** Alexander, farmer, and Jannet Barnet: son Peter. Witnesses: Peter Blenchal, burgar; Peter Barnet, farmer.

24. **Craig,** Alexander, taylor: daughter Jean. Witnesses: Alexander Catto, merchant; James Thomson, Robert Gordon.

Mowat, George, merchant: daughter Margaret. Witnesses: John Mowat, merchant; Lieutenant McKfarlin.

25. **Spring,** Alexander, taylor: son John. Witnesses: John Rickart of Auchnacant; John Molloison, maltman.

26. **Dyce,** Alexander, merchant: son James. Witnesses: James Dyce and James Thom, merchants in Aberdeen.

Sept. 3. **Strachan,** William, merchant, and Rachel Baxter: son James. Witnesses: James Moir of Stonywood; James Dyce, merchant.

14. **Snowie,** George: daughter . Witnesses: John Mowat, merchant; James Smith and Robert Troup, maltmen.

29. **Simpson,** William, junior, merchant, and Julina Gellie: son Alexander. Witnesses: Alexander Simpson of Concraig; Alexander Midleton and Alexander Gordon, merchants.

Oct. 3. **Thomson,** Patrick, taylor, and Margaret Tait: son William. Witnesses: William Smith and William Thomson, taylors and burgers.

10. **Robarts,** , in Capt. Gregg's Company: daughter Jane.

27. **Donaldson,** James, doctor of physick: daughter Margaret. Witnesses: Doctor John Gordon; Mr. Mercer; and James Robertson, prentice to foresaid Dr. Donaldson.

Nov. 8. **Smith,** James, maltster, and Margret Matheson: son Alexander. Witnesses: Alexander Smith and Alexander Mitchel, merchants.

10. **Catanach,** Robert, merchant, and Ellen Menzie: daughter Anna. Witnesses: Thomas Gordon of Cormach, James Catanach, late Baillie.

12. **Fitzgerald,** William, barber and peruke-maker, and Christian Chalmers, his spouse: daughter Elspet. Witnesses: William Heburn, merchant; John Falconer, peruke-maker in Aberdeen.

Dec. 6. **Hunter,** : son George.

22. **Walker,** William, litster: daughter Margaret. Witnesses: Capt. Alexander Midleton; James Fife, merchant; Alexander Gordon, merchant; James Ogilvie, Comptroller of His Majesty's Customs.

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Jan. 10. **Aberdein,** Alexander, merchant, and Margaret Pirie, his spouse: daughter Margaret. Witnesses: Thomas Shand of Craig; John Anderson; William Baxter, shipmaster.

19. **Chalmers,** George, flesher, and Mary Paterson: son James. Witnesses: James Fiff, merchant; James Hall, flesher.

Feb. 6. **Clay,** , in Capt. Greg's Company: daughter Ann.

16. **Ross,** Andrew, workman: son Alexander. Witness: Alexander Ferguson, couper.

Taylor, John, advocat: daughter Elizabeth. Witnesses: Capt. Alexander Midleton and his son Alexander; James Fyfe, baillie.

25. **Leith,** Walter, seaman: son Patrick (baptized by Mr. George Farquhar). Witnesses: Peter Ross and Peter Black, merchants.

Mar. 2 **Leonard,** George, taylor: son John (Mr. Farquhar). Witnesses: John Christy, late Conveener, and John Stratton, taylors.

30. **Allardes,** James, merchant, and Margret Burnett, his spouse: son John. Witnesses: John Rickart of Auchnacant; Dr. John Gordon, physitian.

April 2. **Christy,** John, stabler: daughter Elspet. Witnesses: George Thom and Alexander Molloison, maltmen.

8. **Gordon,** John, of Kinnellar, and Hennrietta Fraser, his spouse: daughter Isobel. Witnesses: Sir William Gordon of Park, James Catanach, baillie.

8. **Gray,** John, cow feeder: daughter Janet. Witnesses: George Milne, flesher; Alexander Scot, maltman.

9. **Allan,** George, gardiner in Robslaw: son George. Witnesses: George Skeen of Robslaw; George Mowat and John Mowat, merchants.

23. **Cluff,** Thomas and Elizabeth, of Montague's regiment: son Thomas.

25. **Chamberlain,** Henry and Susannah, in the same: daughter Ann.

20. **Edwards,** : daughter Ann.

May 11. **Leith,** John, indweller: daughter Margaret. Witnesses: Doctor James Donaldson, Doctor Alexander Ross.

June 4. **Feb** , John and Janet, Colonell Montague's company, son William.

24. **Watters,** William and Margaret, in Capt. Gregorie's company, foresaid regiment: son Samuel.

Mitchells, Robert and Mary, in Capt. Godard's company: son John.

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July 2. **Molloison,** Francis, wheelwright: daughter Anna. Witnesses: John Gordon and James Anderson; Anna Chalmers and Anna Charles.

18. **McKfarlin,** Mr. Duncan, Lieutenant in Colenell Grant's company: daughter Wilelmina. Witnesses: Mr. Gordon and Mr. McQueen, Lieutenants.

Aug. 1. **Harris,** William and Mary, sergeant in Capt. Godard's company: son Robert.

3. **Durom,** Alexander, wright: daughter Elen. Witnesses: William Forbes, Patrick Ross and William Reid, merchants.

Sept. 2. **Foax,** Samuel and Anna, in Collonel Herison's regiment and company: daughter Frances. Witnesses: Samuel Eastines and Thomas Salsberie; Margaret Thomson and Isobell Nicholson.

3. **Barron,** Patrick, wright: daughter Jean. Witnesses: Conveener Speedyman; William Cristall, wright; William Feitzgerald, barber.

11. **Baxter,** William, shipmaster: son William. Witnesses: Alexander Aberdeen, William Aberdeen and Thomas Mercer, merchants; James Findlater, James Irvine and George Couper.

25. **Burnet,** Thomas, of Kirkhill: daughter Mary. Witnesses: John Burnet, Poles, merchant; John and George Turner, etc.

27. **Mouat,** George, merchant: daughter Mary. Witnesses: Mr. Mackfarland, John Muat.

Oct. 22. **Chrystie,** James, farmer: daughter Jean. Witnesses: Alexander Chrystie and Andrew Duncan, farmers.

24. **Anderson,** Thomas: son Francis. Witnesses: Francis Cummin, Francis Webster.

27. **Thompson,** Peter, taylor: son Andrew. Witnesses: Andrew Thompson, Andrew Garioch.

Nov. 1. **Anderson,** Alexander, indweller: daughter Margaret. Witnesses: Robert Ross, William Watt.

Dec. 5. **Turner,** Andrew, litster: daughter Elspet. Witnesses: John Turner of Turnerhall, George Turner, and Carnagy.

29. **Harrow,** Alexander, in the braes of Pittfoddals: son John. Witness: John Stugie, wheelwright.

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Jan. 4. **Wilson,** James: son John. Witnesses: John Four, John Barclay, John Innes; John Milne, student.

18. **Ross,** George, shoemaker: son Alexander. Witnesses: Deacon Irwin, baker; Alexander Henderson, maltster.

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Jan. 18. **Christall,** William, wright: daughter Elizabeth. Witnesses: George Robertson and William Smith, Conveeners.

Feb. 19. **Knows,** James, seaman: daughter Marian. Witnesses: John Mouat, George Mouat.

21. **Davison,** Abraham, merchant: daughter Jean. Witnesses: Alexander Catto, merchant; Robert Smith.

26. **Adam,** Daniel, horse hirer: son William. Witnesses: William Fowler, William Adam.

Mar. 3. **Ross,** Charles, gardiner: son James. Witnesses: James Abercrombie, watchmaker; James Sympson.

9. **Strachan,** James, merchant: daughter Jannet. Witnesses: John Burnet, William Strachan, Moir.

19. **Fitzgerald,** William, wigmaker: son William. Witns.: William Hepburn, merchant; William Kelly and William Cooper, maltmen.

30. **Mollison,** John, maltman: son James. Witnesses: James Anderson and James Sympson, son to bailiff Sympson.

April 7. **Gordon,** Charles, of New Tyle: daughter Margaret. Witnesses: James Gordon of Banchrie, Dr. James Gordon, physician.

May 4. **Durward,** John, merchant, and Katharine Sympson, his spouse: son Charles. Witnesses: Charles Coupland and William Sympson, senior, merchants.

6. **Simpson,** William, merchant, and Juliana Gellie, his spouse: son William. Witnesses: Professor Anderson, Thomas Straiton, servitor to the foresaid William Sympson.

June 9. **Gordon,** John, of Kinnellar, and Henrietta Fresar, his lady: daughter Ellen. Witnesses: Sir Alexander Reid of Barra, Alexander Gordon, collector of the cess.

July 26. **Taylor,** John, writter, and Elizabeth Fyffe, his spouse: son Alexander. Witnesses: Alexander Midleton, shipmaster; Alexander Ross, doctor of physick.

Aug. 6. **Burnet,** John, merchant, and Theodosia Stewart: son John. Witnesses: John Paton of Grandhome, James Catanach, bailly.

25. **Gellie,** James, merchant, and Elizabeth Thomson: daughter Katherine. Witnesses: Mr. Robert Thomson, town's clerk; George Skeene of Robslaw.

30. **Dyce,** Alexander, merchant, and May Ducher: daughter Mary. Witnesses: John Burnet of Poles and James Dyce, merchants.

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Aug. 30. **Gray,** Patrick, wright, and Jannat Jaffray: daughter Jannet. Witnesses: William Forbes, merchant; David Spidyman, glover.

Dec. 14. **Toash,** John: daughter Isobel. Witnesses: James Toash and James Thompson.

15. **Aberdein,** Alexander, merchant: daughter Isobel. Witnesses: Hugh Hey, provost; Alexander Levistson, merchant.

23. **Elice,** Alexander, gardener: son William. Witnesses: William Watson and William Reid.

27. **Young,** William, merchant: son David. Witnesses: Thomas Young and James Brown, merchants.

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Jan. 6. **Allan,** George, gardener: son Alexander. Witnesses: John Mowat and William Smith, merchants.

10. **Mowat,** George, merchant, and Elizabeth Thomson: daughter Marjory. Witnesses: John Mowat, merchant; James Thomson, messenger.

14. **Toash,** John, painter, and Jannat Stewart, his spouse: daughter Isobel. Witnesses: James Toash, litster; James Thomson, barber.

17. **Turner,** Andrew, litster, and Jane Carnagie, his spouse: son Robert. Witnesses: Thomas Burnet and George Turner, advocates in Aberdeen.

19. **Smith,** Alexander, merchant, and Jane Swan, his spouse: son Patrick. Witnesses: James Smith, merchant: Rodorick Forbes, taylor.

20. **Chalmers,** George, physitian, and Jannet Elphiston: son Patrick. Witnesses: James Ogilvie, collector; Alexander Gordon, merchant.

Feb. 21. **Wilson,** James, stabler, and Jannet Jaffray: daughter Jane. Witnesses: James Gordon of Barnes, Alexander Molyson, maltsman.

Mar. 4. **Donaldson,** Doctor James, and Katharine Gordon: son Alexander. Witnesses: Doctor John Gordon of Hilton, Sir Alexander Ramsay.

12. **Thomson,** William, slater, and Margaret Stewart: daughter Margarett. Witnesses: William Johnston, pewterer; William Milne, merchant.

17. **Allardes,** James, merchant, and Agnes Burnet, his spouse: daughter Jane. Witnesses: James Catanach, late bailie; John Burnet, merchant.

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April 14. **Spring,** Alexander, taylor, and Jane McGregor: son Alexander. Witnesses: Alexander Hunter and Alexander Christie, merchants.

May 20. **Ross,** Charles, gardener, and Christian Polson: daughter Sarah. Witnesses: Baillie Symson and John Cockburn, Mr. Cockburn's son.

June 5. **Gordon,** Mr. Richard, advocate in Aberdeen, and Betty Leith: daughter Jannet. Witnesses: Mr. Robert Petterson and Thomas Burnet.

9. **Durward,** John, merchant, and Katharine Sympson: son Norman. Witnesses: William Symson, senior, and Charles Coupland, merchants.

13. **Walker,** William, litster, and Jannet Midleton, his spouse: son John. Witnesses: Mr. John Gordon, late civilist; Capt. Alexander Midleton; John Taylor, trades clerk.

Strahan, James, merchant, and Margaret More: daughter Jane. Witnesses: John Burnet, Poles; David Mair, merchant; Gilbert More, cooper.

19. **Thomson,** Peter, taylor, and Margaret Tait: daughter Jane. Witnesses: Thomas Fraser, gun-smith; William Thomson, taylor.

20. **Baxter,** William, shipmaster, and Christian Cooper: daughter Isobel. Witnesses: Mr. Alexander Aberdein, merchant; George Cooper, gold-smith.

Crystal, William, wright, and Margaret Ritchie: daughter Margaret. Witnesses: William Smith, taylor; George Robertson, shoemaker.

Aug. 7. **Leith,** John, Post, and Jannet Mackehland: son Alexander. Witns.: Alexander Catto, merchant; Capt. Midleton's son, Alexander.

14. **Gordon,** Robert, shoemaker, and Jannet Robertson: daughter Margaret. Witnesses: George Thom and James Robertson, burgers.

22. **Fitzgerald,** William, barbar, and Christian Chalmers: daughter Jane. Witnesses: William Cooper, merchant; John Tait, barbar.

Sept. 5. **Molyson,** John, merchant, and Elspet Shepheard, his spouse daughter Elspet. Witnesses: Andrew Thomson, writer; Andrew Wyllie, servitor to Andrew Turner, litster in Aberdeen.

Nov. 1. **Molyson,** Francis, wheelwright, and Barbara Fyffe: daughter Margaret. Witnesses: William Forbes and Patrick Ross, merchants.

Dec. 24. **Ogilvie,** James, collector of the Customs, and Rachel Elpiston: daughter Margaret. Witnesses: Capt. Midleton; Alexander Gordon, merchant.

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Jan. 8. **Mowat,** George, merchant, and Isobel Thomson: son John. Witnesses: John Mowat and John Maitland, merchants.

14. **Knows,** James, mariner, and Mary Allen, his spouse: son William. Witnesses: William Rait, William Allen, fermers; and Achlie of Elsick.

Feb. 13. **Barron,** Patrick, wright, and Jannet Sankster: son George (Mr. Farquhar). Witnesses: George Cooper, gold-smith; George Turner, advocate.

Mar. 4. **Burnet,** John, merchant, and Theodosia Stewart: son James. Witnesses: James Stewart of Dainnes; James Allardes, merchant.

19. **Duff,** William, baker, and Ellen Duff: daughter Anne. Witns.: Peter Duff, son of Hatton's; Gilbert Duff, cooper.

April 10. **Smith,** Alexander, merchant, and Mary Strachan, his spouse: daughter Elizabeth. Witnesses: John Strachan, senior, merchant; Alexander Robertson, dean of guild.

23. **Turner,** Andrew, litster, and Jean Carnagie: daughter Margaret. Witnesses: Alexander Ross, physitian; George Turner.

25. **Williamson,** Charles, mariner, and Elizabeth Menzies, his spouse: son David. Witnesses: David Speediman, glover; David Lindsay, baxter.

27. **Bartlet,** John, taylor, and Jane Duncan, his spouse: son John. Witnesses: John Straiton, taylor; George Robertson, shoemaker.

May 4. **Thomson,** Alexander, mariner, and Mary Calame: daughter Mary. Witnesses: Stonywood and his grandchild, James Moir.

10. **Dyce,** Alexander, merchant, and Mary Duchar, his spouse: daughter Marjory. Witnesses: James Dyce, merchant; Alexander Liviston, bailie.

29. **Chalmers,** Doctor George, Physitian, and Jannet Elpiston: daughter Margaret. Witnesses: James Ogilvie, collector; James Thomson of Portlathen.

July 15. **Innes,** Thomas, mariner, and Margaret Gibbon, his spouse: daughter Elizabeth. Witnesses: Daniel Fergusson, shipmaster; Arthur Gibbon, carpenter.

16. **Gordon,** Charles, of New Tyle, and Jean Uddry: daughter Anna. Witns.: Doctor John Gordon, physitian; Alexander Gordon, collector.

23. **Aberdein,** Alexander, merchant, and Margaret Pirie, his spouse: daughter Jean. Witnesses: Alexander Liviston, baillie; Thomas Shand of Craig, merchant.

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July 24. **Donaldson,** James, physitian, and Katarine Gordon : son Andrew. Witnesses : Andrew Skeene, senior and junior, physitians.

Aug. 28. **Souper,** Patrick, merchant, and Anne Ross, his spouse ; daughter Margaret (Baptized by Mr. Thwait, chaplain to Colonel Harrison's regiment). Witnesses : Thomas Burnet of Kirkhill ; William Souper, merchant.

Sept. 21. **Young,** William, merchant, and Mary Gray : son William. Witnesses : William Strachen and William Fordyce, merchants.

Oct. 22. **Gray,** Patrick, wright, and Jannet Jaffray, his spouse : daughter Jean. Witnesses : William Forbes, senior, merchant ; David Speediman. glover.

Nov. 14. **Baxter,** Adam, cooper, and Katharine Forbes, his spouse : son James. Witnesses : James Dyce and James Brember, merchants.

21. **Frazer,** James, barber, and Jane Hutcheon, his spouse : son Francis. Witnesses : Robert Smith, blacksmith ; Francis Massie, barber.

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Jan. 14. **Adam,** James, merchant, and Ellen Denser, his spouse : son William. Witnesses : William Forbes, merchant ; William Crystal, wright ; William Milne, merchant.

Feb. 6. **Fitzgerald,** William, barber, and Christian Chalmers, his spouse : son George. Witnesses : George Mowat, dean of guild ; George Sympson, cooper.

11. **Gelly,** James, merchant, and Elizabeth Thomson : son John. Witnesses : John Burnet of Elrick ; John Gregory, son of the deceased Dr. Gregory.

12. **Shand,** Thomas, of Craig, and Isobel Kay : son John. Witns. : John Cumming and John Strachan, senior, merchants.

17. **Leslie,** John, merchant, and Marjory Gray : son Alexander. Witnesses : Alexander Smith and Alexander Garrioch, merchants.

Mar. 2. **Ross,** Charles, gardener, and Christian Polson : daughter Jannet. Witnesses : John Trail and James Kilgour, gardners.

8. **Smith,** Alexander, of Blairdaff, and Mary Strachan, his spouse : son John. Witnesses : John Strachan, senior, merchant ; John Taylor, trades clerck.

12. **Smith,** Alexander, merchant, and Jean Swap, his spouse : son Alexander. Witnesses : James Smith, maltman ; William Smith, merchant.

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Mar. 18. **Thomson,** Patrick, taylor, and Margaret Tait: daughter Katharine. Witnesses: William Milne, merchant; Thomas Frazer, gunsmith.

April 10. **Tayler,** John, writer, and Elizabeth Fiffe: daughter Margaret. Witnesses: Alexander Smith of Blairdaff; John Fyffe, son to David Fyffe, merchant.

15. **Mowat,** George, merchant, and Isobel Thomson, his spouse: daughter Jean. Witns.: Adam Thomson and John Mowat, merchants.

May 4. **Anderson,** Thomas, weaver, and Mary Break, his spouse: daughter Margaret. Witnesses: William Johnston, pewterer; James Anderson, glazier.

6. **Strachan,** James, senior, merchant, and Margaret More, his spouse: daughter Susanna. Witnesses: John Burnet of Poles and William Strachan, merchants.

July 1. **Spring,** Robert, taylor, and Jannet Milne, his spouse: daughter Ellen. Witnesses: Andrew Cassie, writter; John Frazer, fiddler.

Aug. 14. **Burnet,** Thomas, of Kirkhill, aud Margaret Turner: son Thomas. Witnesses: James Moir of Stonywood; John Burnet of Poles.

Sept. 2. **Smith,** William, taylor, and Mary Hill, his spouse: son William (Mr. George Farquhar). Witnesses: William Crystal, wright; William Robertson, merchant.

Oct. 20. **Allardes,** James, merchant, and Agnes Burnet: son James. Witnesses: James Catanach, late baillie; James Burnet, merchant.

Nov. 27. **Knows,** James, mariner , and Mary Allan, his spouse: twins Jannet and Margaret (Mr. George Farquhar). Witnesses: John and George Mowat, merchants.

Dec. 4. **Baxter,** William, shipmaster, and Christian Cooper, his spouse: son George. Witnesses: George Cooper, goldsmith; Alexander Aberdeen, merchant.

Burnet, John, merchant, and Theodosia Stewart, his lady: son George. Witnesses: James Catanach, late bailie; James Stewart of Dens; Alexander Bennerman and James Burnet, merchants.

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Feb. 8. **Turner,** Andrew, litster, and Jean Carnagie, his spouse: son John. Witnesses: Thomas Burnet of Kirkhill, Capt. Mackfarlane.

Mar. 14. **Chalmers,** Dr. George, and Jannet Elpistone, his spouse: daughter Rachel. Witnesses: James Thomson of Portlathen, Capt. Thomas Irvine.

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Mar. 25. **Leslie,** John, merchant, and Marjory Gray: son Joseph. Witnesses: William Leslie and William Gray.

31. **Cruickshank,** William, weaver, and Margaret Milne, his spouse: son James. Witnesses: James Irvine of Glassal, James Robertson, weaver.

June 11. **Gordon,** James, of Banchorie, and Margaret Cumming: daughter Anne. Witnesses: Doctors John and James Gordons; Alexander Frazer, civilist.

Aug. 17. **Baxter,** Adam, cooper, and Katherine Forbes, his spouse: twins George and Martha. Witnesses: George Skeene of Robislaw, Provost Morison, James Dyce, merchants.

27. **Fitzgerald,** William, barber, and Christiane Chalmers, his spouse: daughter Christiane. Witnesses: Francis Massie, barber; William Cooper, merchant.

Sept. 1. **Adam,** James, merchant, and Ellen Denzer: daughter Margaret. Witnesses: William Milne, merchant; William Crystal, wright.

4. **Leonard,** George, taylor, and Marjory Fettes, his spouse: son James. Witnesses: James Mackey and James Legge, maltsmen; James Leonard, barber.

15. **Wilson,** James, stabler, and Jannet Jaffray, his spouse: daughter Elspet. Witns.: James Gordon of Barns; Walter Temple, merchant.

29. **Gray,** Patrick, wright, and Jannet Jaffray, his spouse: daughter Marjory. Witnesses: Alexander Forbes, gold-smith; James Abercrombie, watch-maker.

Oct. 1. **Simpson,** George, cooper, and Christian Kellie: daughter Margaret. Witns.: William Kellie, maltsman; William Crystal, wright.

26. **Thomson,** William, slater, and Margaret Stewart: daughter Isobel. Witnesses: George Robertson, shoemaker; William Milne, merchant.

Nov. 2. **Mowat,** George, merchant, and Elizabeth Thomson, his spouse: daughter Isobel. Witnesses: John Mowat, George Shepherd, and John Maitland, merchants.

9. **Strachan,** James, merchant, and Margaret More: son Patrick (Baptized by Mr. Keith). Witnesses: Patrick Anderson of Bourty, John Burnet, Poles.

28. **Gordon,** Doctor James, physitian, and Barbara Cumming: son John. Witnesses: John Rickart of Auchnacant, James Gordon of Banchorie.

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Dec. 2. **Brown,** Robert, ship-master, and Margaret Burnet: son Robert. Witnesses: George Cooper, gold-smith; Robert Muir, merchant.

23. **Donaldson,** Dr. James, physitian, and Katharine Gordon: son John. Witnesses: John Rickart of Auchnacant and John Burnet, merchants.

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Jan. 16. **Robertson,** William, taylor, and Jannet Gelly: daughter Margaret. Witnesses: William Robertson, farmer in Nigg; Joseph Kennie, cook in the old Town Colledge.

21. **Burnet,** John, merchant, and Theodosia Stewart: daughter Agnes. Witns.: James Catanach, late baillie; James Stewart of Denns.

Feb. 5. **Durward,** William, in Gilcumstone: son George (Mr. Keith).[1] Witnesses: John Durward, merchant; and George Durward, his son.

12. **Thomson,** Patrick, tayler, and Margaret Tait: daughter Margaret (Mr. Keith). Witnesses: David Speediman, glover; William Cooper, merchant.

14. **Ogilvie,** James, collector of his Majesty's customs, and Rachel Elphistone: daughter Anna (Mr. Keith). Witnesses: Doctor George Chalmers; Capt. Thomas Irvine.

March 20. **Smith,** Alexander, merchant, and Jean Swap: daughter Margaret. Witnesses: Robert Jameson and James Smith, merchants.

25. **Leslie,** John, merchant, and Marjory Gray: son George. Witns.: William Leslie, student; James Couts, merchant.

Rob, Alexander, indweller, and Jannet Black, his spouse: son David (Mr. Keith). Witnesses: Patrick Wilson and George Johnstone, indwellers.

April 5. **Young,** William, merchant, and Mary Gray: son Thomas. Witnesses: Thomas Shand of Craig; Thomas Farquarson, merchant.

15. **Souper,** Patrick, merchant, and Anna Ross: daughter Jean. Witnesses: Alexander Robertson, then baile; James Thomson of Portlethen.

20. **Hardie,** Alexander, blacksmith, and Margaret Gordon: son James. Witnesses: James Abercrombie, watchmaker; James Gordon, farmer in Feteresoe.

June 20. **Donald,** Robert, weaver: son Robert (Mr. Keith). Witnesses: James Stuart and John Reid, weaver.

1 Mr. Keith held no formal appointment at this date, and seems to have been assistant to Dr. Cockburn.

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June 22. **Dyce,** Alexander, merchant, and Marjory Duchars: son Andrew (Mr. Keith). Witnesses: Andrew Levingstone, merchant; Andrew Dyce, ship master; William Robertson.

Aug. 16. **Farquharsone,** John, of Invercauld: daughter Mary (Baptized at Crabstone by Mr. Keith). Witnesses: Dr. James Urquhart, Mrs. Mary Gordon.

28. **Barron,** Peter, wright, and Jannet Sangster: daughter Katherine (Mr. Keith). Witnesses: David Speediman, glover; William Crystal, wright.

Sept. 30. **Milne,** Alexander, merchant, and Margaret Campbell: son Alexander (Mr. Keith). Witnesses: Alexander Ross, physitian; Alexander Watson, merchant.

Oct. 3. **Gibson,** Tighe, Lieutenant in Colonel Hamilton's Regiment, and Christian Ogstone: son Richard Henry (Mr. Keith). Witnesses: the foresaid minister; George Burnet, surgeon; and his daughters.

10. **Durward,** John, merchant, and Katherine Sympson: daughter Isobel (Mr. Keith). Witnesses: William Sympson and Charles Coupland, merchants.

17. **Murdoch,** John, mason, and Elizabeth Hector: son William (Mr. Keith). Witnesses: William Murdon and William Hector, masons.

Nov. 23. **Hector,** Alexander, mason, and Jane Duncan: son John (Mr. Keith). Witnesses: Jo. Burnet, Elrick; and Jo. Forbes, advocate.

27. **Simpson,** George, cooper, and Christian Kellie: son George. Witnesses: George Black, merchant; George Cooper, goldsmith.

Dec. 12. **Turner,** Andrew, litster, and Jean Carnagie: son Robert (Mr. Keith). Witnesses: Thomas Burnet of Kirkhill, and his brother, and Capt. McFarline.

14. **Hall,** Andrew, flesher, and Jane Ogg: daughter Elizabeth (Mr. Keith). Witnesses: James Hall and George Hall; William Nicol, tobaconist; William Orchie.

28. **Fitzgerald,** William, barber, and Christian Chalmers: son Edward. Witnesses: William Cooper, merchant; Patrick Barron, wright.

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Jan. 1. **Fraser,** Hugh, merchant, and Elizabeth Fraser: daughter Jean. Witnesses: James Gordon of Barns, Mr. Alexander Keith, minister.

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Feb. 1. **Baxter,** William, shipmaster, and Christian Cooper: daughter Marjory. Witnesses: Alexander Aberdeen, merchant; George Cooper, goldsmith.

4. **Steven,** Robert, merchant, and Margaret Forbes: son John. Witnesses: James Gellie and John Mair, merchants.

17. **Taylor,** John, advocate and trades clerk, and Elizabeth Fyffe: twins James and John. Witnesses: James Stuart of Denns and Elphistone, merchant in Aberdeen.

Mar. 5. **Burnet,** John, merchant, and Theodosia Stuart: son Robert. Witnesses: James Stuart of Denns and James Stuart, merchant.

25. **Anderson,** Alexander, sledgeman in the Schoolhill: son William (Mr. Keith).

30. **Leslie,** John, merchant, and Marjorie Gray: daughter Margaret. Witnesses: William Gray, malster; James Couts, son to James Couts, m.?

April 6. **Gordon,** Doctor James, physitian in Aberdeen, and Barbara Cumming: daughter Anna. Witnesses: James Gordon of Banchorie; Alexander Frazer, Civilist in the King's Colledge, Old Aberdeen.

16. **Strachan,** James, merchant, and Margaret Moir: son William. Witnesses: William Strachan, merchant; William Moir, cooper.

29. **Smith,** Alexander, merchant, and Jean Swap: daughter Anne. Witnesses: John Smith and George Shepherd, merchants.

May 14. **Wilson,** James, stabler, and Jannet Jaffrey: son James. Witns.: James Dason, merchant; James Smith, sadler; James Robertson.

June 2. **Henderson,** George, wright, and Anna Taylor: son George. Witnesses: George Sinclair and George Thom, merchants.

7. **Chalmers,** Doctor George, physitian, and Jannet Elphistone: daughter Cicilia. Witnesses: James Thomson of Portlathen; James Chalmers, late baillie.

18. **Robertson,** Duncan, indweller: and Elizabeth Fouler: son James. Witnesses: George Henderson and James Robertson, indwellers.

July 18. **Adam,** James, merchant, and Ellen Denzer: daughter Elizabeth. Witns.: William Milne, James Robertson, Walter Temple, merchants.

Aug. 4. **Mowat,** George, merchant, and Elizabeth Thomson: son George. Witnesses: George Shepheard; George Black; George Mowat, late dean of gild.

28. **Walker,** William, dyer, and Jannet Midleton: son George. Witnesses: Capt. Alexander Midleton; John McKenzie, merchant.

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Sept. 5. **Simpson,** Thomas, indweller, and Marjory Walker: son William (Mr. Keith). Witnesses: William Walker, litster; William Kemp, slater; William Bennerman.

Oct. 14 **Gibson,** Tighe, Lieutenant in Col. Hamilton's regiment, and Christian Ogstone: daughter Sarah. Witnesses: George Burnet, surgeon; George Chalmers, W. sig.

Dec. 6. **Ogilvie,** James, collector, and Rachel Elphistone: daughter Rachel. Witnesses: Capt. Midleton, James Ogilvie of Badentowle.

23. **Gray,** Patrick, wright, and Jannet Jaffray: son Patrick (Mr. Keith). Witnesses: Patrick Barron, wright; Patrick Ross, merchant.

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Jan. 16. **Barron,** Patrick, wright, and Jannet Jaffray: son Robert. Witnesses: Robert Smith, blacksmith; Robert Joiner, taylor.

26. **Garrioch,** Andrew, merchant, and Elizabeth Chalmers: son Alexander. Witnesses: Alexander Garrioch, merchant; Alexander Rate, regent in Old Town Colledge.

Feb. 6. **Thomson,** Patrick, taylor, and Margaret Tait: daughter Mary. Witnesses: William Milne, merchant; Peter Barron, wright.

22. **Baxter,** Adam, cooper, and Katharine Forbes: son Alexander. Witnesses: Alexander Thomson, advocate; Alexander Johnston, merchant.

Mar. 16. **Ross,** James, indweller, and Jean McGregor: daughter Elpit (Mr. Keith). Witnesses: James Robertson, shoemaker: James Wilson, stabler.

21. **Griffon,** Henry, soldier at Froster Hill: son George (Mr. Keith). Witnesses: George Hall, George Keith.

Turner, Andrew, litster, and Jean Carnagie: daughter Elspet (Mr. Keith). Witnesses: Dr. Thomas Seaton, James Carnagie.

April 10. **Bain,** John, gardener, and Margaret Kilgour: daughter Girsell (Mr. Keith). Witnesses: the foresaid Mr. Keith, James Adam, merchant.

25. **Frazer,** Capt. Hugh, merchant, and Isobel Fraser: son William. Witnesses: William Simpson and Jo. McKenzie, merchants.

Seymours, John, in New Machar Parish: daughter . . . (Mr. Keith). Witnesses: Jo. Allan, James Gray.

May 8. **Toash,** John, painter, and Jannet Stuart: son John. Witnesses: John Smith, senior, shoe-maker; John Smith, junior.

22 **Hardy,** Alexander, blacksmith, and Margaret Gordon: daughter Anna. Witnesses: James Mackie, merchant; William Smith, taylor.

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June 10. **Fitzgerald,** William, barber, and Christian Chalmers: son James. Witnesses: James Leonard, barber; James Speediman; David Speediman, son.

July 7. **Green,** William, wright, and Jane Dollap: son Alexander (Mr. Keith). Witnesses: Alexander Dolap, wright; Al. Young; Al. Kennedy, merchants.

8. **Donald,** Robert, weaver, and Jane Reed: daughter Isobel (Mr. Keith). Witnesses: John Reid and John Young, weavers.

10. **Sympson,** George, cooper, and Christian Kellie: daughter Elspet (Mr. Keith). Witns.: William Kelly and William Cooper, merchants.

10. **Leslie,** John, merchant, and Marjory Gray: daughter Marjory. Witnesses: William Gray, merchant; James Couts, son-in-law to Jo. Leslie.

14. **Steven,** Robert, merchant, and Margaret Forbes: son Alexander. Witnesses: Alexander Thomson, advocate; Al. Forbes of Blackford.

16. **Burnet,** John, merchant, and Theodosia Stuart, his spouse: daughter Katharine. Witnesses: Pa. Trumbel, merchant; James Nicholson of Glenbervie.

17. **Strachan,** James, merchant, and Margaret Moir: son Alexander (Mr. Keith). Witnesses: John Burnet, Poles, and William Strachan, merchants.

27. **Souper,** Patrick, merchant, and Anna Ross: daughter Anna. Witnesses: John Taylor, trades clerk; Robert Thomson, town's clerk.

Aug. 15. **Gordon,** James, of Banchorie, and Margaret Cumming: daughter Isobel. Witnesses: Alexander Fraser, senr. and junr. of Powis; Dr. James Gordon.

20. **Smith,** William, taylor, and Mary Hill: twins, William and Elizabeth. Witnesses: William Strachan, merchant; William Crystal, wright and carpenter.

21. **Wilson,** James, stabler, and Jannet Jaffray: son James. Witns.: James Robertson, maltman: James Milne, barber.

Sept. 5. **Walker,** William, litster, and Jannet Midleton: daughter Dianna (Mr. Keith). Witns.: Capt. Middleton, John McKenzie, merchant.

21. **Milne,** Alexander, and Margaret Cambel: daughter Margaret (Mr. Keith). Witnesses: Commissary Paterson, Th. Paul, merchant.

Oct. 9. **Law,** John, wright, and Christian Mowat: son William (Mr. Keith). Witnesses: John Farquhar, wright; William Kelly, maltman.

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Oct. 13. **Thomson,** John, sclater, and Elizabeth Davison: daughter Elspet (Mr. Keith). Witns.: William Thomson, slater; Al. Stuart, blacksmith.

30. **Adam,** Daniel, horse-hirer: twins, George and Daniel (Mr. Keith). Witns: George Adam, George Thom, and Daniel Murray, indwellers.

Sympson, Thomas: son William (Mr. Keith). Witnesses: William Souper, William Mowat.

Nov. 30. **Allan,** George, gardener in old Abd.: daughter Mary (Mr. Keith). Witnesses: Al. Hunter, Al. Sinclair.

Dec. 4. **Thomson,** William, slater: son William (Mr. Keith). Witns.: William Milne, merchant; William Stuart.

10. **Donaldson,** Doctor James, physitian, and Katharine Gordon: daughter Isobel (Mr. Keith). Witnesses: Dr. James Gordon, Mr. Lewis Gordon, merchant.

18. **McKenzie,** William, merchant, and Barbara More: son Kenneth (Mr. Keith). Witnesses: Al. Westland, Al. McKenzie, and Jo. McKenzie, merchants.

21. **Hector,** Alexander, mason, and Jean Duncan: son Alexander (Mr. Keith). Witnesses: Alexander Smith of Inversansay, and Al. Smith, merchants.

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Jan. 13. **Fleming,** Alexander, horse hirer: daughter Elspet (Mr. Keith). Witnesses: John and Patrick Barnets, horse-hirers.

15. **Clark,** John, writer in Abd., and Marjorie Fraser: son Alexander (Mr. Keith). Witnesses: Alexander Christie and Alexander Michie, merchants.

20. **Johnstone,** James, sailor: son James (Mr. Keith). Witnesses: John Strachan, Jas. Baverly, Robert Thomson.

25. **Gordon,** Doctor James, physitian, and Barbara Cumming: son Robert (Mr. Keith). Witnesses: Robert Slivins, Robert Muir, merchants; Robert Thomson, town's clerk.

Feb. 4. **More,** Robert, farmer in New-machar parish: son William (Mr. Keith). Witnesses: Thomas More and John Seymour, merchants.

18. **Bennermen,** Alexander, of Frendrach, and Margaret Burnet: daughter Margaret (Mr. Keith). Witnesses: Thomas Burnet of Kirkhill, Jo. Burnet, Poles; And. Turner.

Coupland, Charles, merchant, and Margaret Forbes: daughter Susanna (Mr. Keith). Witnesses: Jo. Forbes, writer; Al. Coupland, merchant.

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Feb. 22. **Smith,** Alexander, merchant, and Jean Swap: daughter Isobel (Mr. Keith). Witns.: George Shepherd and Robert Smith, merchants.

23. **Robertson,** Duncan: daughter Elizabeth (Mr. Keith). Witns.: John Leslie, James Couts, and John Molyson, merchants.

26. **Murdoch,** John, mason, and Elizabeth Hector: son John (Mr. Keith). Witnesses: Mr. David Verner, regent; Al. Hector, Jo. Jeans, and Jo. Aikenhead, masons.

March 5. **Martin,** Alexander, farmer in the Braes of Pitfoddels: daughter Elspet (Mr. Keith). Witnesses: Alexander Harrow and William Martin, both farmers there.

30. **Chalmers,** Dr. George, physitian, and Jannet Elphinstone: daughter Anna (Mr. Keith). Witnesses: Capt. Alexander Irvine, merchant; James Thomson of Portlethen.

April 6. **Souter,** William, gardener in the School-hill: son William (Mr. Keith). Witns.: Robert Ross and Alexander Johnstone, gardeners.

Cruickshank, James, weaver, and Jean Cochran: daughter Margaret (Mr. Keith). Witns.: Al. and Robert Smiths, merchants; George Donaldson, weaver.

9. **Milne,** John, laxfisher at Don: daughter Katherine (Mr. Keith). Witnesses: Fra. Gordon, shoemaker; James Stuart, merchant.

11. **Rob,** Alexander, indweller: daughter Jean (Mr. Keith). Witns: Thomas Innes, William Shepherd.

26. **Baverlie,** William, in the Parioch of Nig: son David (Mr. Keith). Witnesses: David Duncan, laxfisher; James Stuart, merchant.

June 4. **Watson,** George, flesher, and Xtian Murdoch, his spouse: son George (Mr. Keith). Witnesses: George Burnet, surgeon; George Milne, flesher.

May 5. **Baillie,** William, soldier in Brigadier Howard's regiment: daughter Martha (Mr. Keith). Witnesses: Isaac Ardley, Elias Harrison, Mary Stenton.

6. **Murdoch,** William, shoemaker: son John (Mr. Keith). Witns.: Jo. Midleton, merchant; John Murdoch, masson.

Craig, Robert, shoemaker: daughter Margaret (Mr. Keith). Witnesses: John Brown, Peter Gordon.

7. **Lyon,** Peter, blacksmith: son Alexander (baptized by Mr. Keith, in the Trinity Chapele in Aberdeen).

12. **Bird,** Samuel, soldier in Brig. Howard's Regiment: daughter Mary (Mr. Keith). Witns.: Philip Hues and William Hues, soldiers.

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May 12. **Christie,** Alexander, at Robslaw: daughter Christian (Mr. Keith). Witnesses: David Hector, Christian Gawen.

19. **Laspur,** Edmund, in Brig. Howard's Reg.: son William (Mr. Keith. Witnesses: John Jenkins, Richard Carter.

25. **Rait,** William, farmer: daughter Isobel (Mr. Keith). Witnesses: James Smith, James Tour.

30. **Hunter,** Alexander, son William (Mr. Keith). Witnesses: David Hector and the aforesaid Mr. Keith.

June 4. **Watson,** George, flesher: son George (Mr. Keith). Witnesses: George Burnet, surgeon; George Mowat, merchant.

July 2. **Martin,** Alexander, flesher: (Mr. Keith). Witnesses: Deacon Martin and George Martin.

7. **Marks,** William, soldier in Brig. Howard's Reg.: son Thomas (Mr. Keith). Godfathers: Thomas Emmerson, Jo. Davidson.

9. **Hunter,** Thomas, shoemaker: son Francis (Mr. Keith). Witns.: Francis Gordon, shoemaker; William Alexander.

10. **Bain,** John, gardener, and Margaret Kilgour: son Alexander. Witnesses: Alexander Leslie, merchant; Alexander Hector, gardener.

27. **Mowat,** George, merchant, and Elizabeth Thomson: daughter Ellen. Witnesses: Jo. Mowat, merchant; William Duthie, marriner.

Aug. 10. **Baxter,** William, shipmaster, and Christian Cooper: daughter Christian. Witnesses: George Cooper, goldsmith; Tho. Farquarson, merchant.

Sept. 26. **Stiven,** Robert, merchant, and Margaret Forbes: daughter Ellen. Witns.: Doctor Alexander Ross and Doctor James Gordon, physitians.

Oct. 5. **Dyce,** James, merchant, and Mary Kennady: daughter Margaret (Mr. Keith). Witnesses: Alexander Kennady, Al. Christie, and Pa. Tour, merchants.

25. **Hardie,** Alexander, blacksmith, and Margaret Gordon: daughter Margaret. Witnesses: James Abercrombie, watchmaker: James Sangster, blacksmith.

28. **Forbes,** George, merchant, and Marjory Burnet: daughter Margaret (Mr. Keith). Witnesses: Thomas Burnet of Kirkhill; Alexander Bennerman and Lewis Gordon, merchants.

Nov. 14. **Emslay,** James, stonecutter at Lon-head: son James (Mr. Keith). Witnesses: James Stuart, Charles Irvine.

Dec. 3. **Adam,** James, merchant, and Ellen Denzer: son James. Witns.: James Brown, litster; James Robertson, maltman.

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Dec. 11. **Ogilvie,** James, collector: son John. Witnesses: Dr. George Chalmers, Capt. Thomas Irvine.

17. **Green,** William, wright, and Jean Dollass: son William (Mr. Keith). Witnesses: William Johnston, pewterer; William Milne, senior and junior.

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Jan. 5. **Duncan,** Archibald, in the Braes of Pitfoddels, and Marjory Souter: daughter Jean (Mr. Keith). Witnesses: And. Morison, Al. Thomson.

25. **Fitzgerald,** William, barber, and Christian Chalmers: daughter Elizabeth. Witnesses: William Cooper, merchant; Peter Barron, wright; Fra. Massie, barber.

29. **Thomson,** Patrick, taylor, and Margaret Tait: son Patrick (Mr. Keith). Witnesses: Al. Taitt and William Thomson, taylor.

Feb. 1. **Elphinstone,** John, merchant, and Margaret Elphinstone: daughter Margaret (Mr. Keith). Witnesses: James Ogilvie, collector; Mr. William Fordyce, merchant.

13. **Mackenzie,** William, merchant, and Barbara More: son William (Mr. Keith). Witns.: John McKenzie, merchant; Al. McKenzie, baker.

14. **Burnet,** John, merchant, and Theodosia Stuart: son James. Witnesses: James Stuart of Denns, Jamès Burnet, merchant; James Catanach, advocate.

24. **Nicol,** John, workman: daughter Margaret (baptized by Mr. Keith in St. Paul's Chapel).

25. **Strachan,** James, merchant, and Margaret More: daughter Margaret. Witnesses: Jo. McKenzie and James Moir, merchants.

26. **Marr,** William, laxfisher, and Elspet Paul: daughter Elspet (Mr Keith). Witnesses: James Stuart, William Paul.

Mar. 3. **Seymours,** John, in New-machar: daughter Jannet. Witnesses: George Keilow, Peter Seymours.

12. **Fraser,** Capt. Hugh, merchant, and Elizabeth Fraser: daughter Isobel. Witnesses: John M'Kenzie and John Fraser, merchants.

27. **Ellice,** James, workman: son James (Mr. Keith). Witnesses: James Paul, James Stuart.

April 2. **Barron,** Patrick, wright, and Jannet Sangster: son John. Witnesses: John Burnet and Jo. M'Kenzie, merchants; Jo. Aldjao, baker.

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April 5. **Christie,** Robert, indweller, and Ellen Davidson: son Patrick. Witnesses: Mr. Cockburn; Andrew Thomson, elder, merchant; Robert Lamb, weaver.

Clark, John, advocate, and Marjory Fraser: son John (Mr. Keith). Witnesses: John Burnet, Poles; Jo. Tour, merchants; And. Thomson, writer.

Martin, George, at the Bow-Bridge, and Elspet Mar: daughter Effie (Mr. Keith). Witnesses: Deacon Martin and Alexander Martin, fleshers.

9. **Bannerman,** Alexander, merchant, and Margaret Burnet: son Patrick. Witnesses: Patrick Souper, merchant; and Patrick Logie, writer.

24. **Coupland,** Charles, merchant, and Margaret Forbes: daughter Anna. Witnesses: John Forbes, writer; and Alexander Coupland, merchant.

May 3. **Thom,** James, taylor: son James. Witnesses: Al. Donlap and Jo. Farquhar, wrights.[1]

1 Last Baptism by Dr. Patrick Cockburn.

[Baptised by Mr. Alexander Keith.][1]

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May 8. **Gordon,** Doctor James, physitian, and Barbara Cumming: son James. Witnesses: James Thomson of Portlethan; James Gordon of Banchorie; and James (illegible).

17. **Donald,** Robert, weaver: daughter Margaret. Witnesses: John Reid and Robert Innes, weavers.

25. **Farguson,** Capt. James, and Elspet Carnagie: daughter Elspet. Witnesses: James Carnagie and Andrew Turner, litsters.

July 1. **Bartlet,** John, taylor: son John. Witnesses: John Lendrum, merchant; Jo. Falconer, barber.

9. **Duncan,** George, farmer and horse-hirer: son John. Witnesses: George Hall, flesher; John Cornach, farmer.

15. **Anderson,** Patrick, of Bourtie, and Elizabeth Ogilvie: daughter Jean. Witnesses: Alexander Aberdeen, senior and junior.

27. **Thain,** John, advocate in Abd., and Isobel Forbes: son Alexander. Witnesses: John Forbes, writer; Thomas Forbes, carpenter.

Aug. 2. **Milne,** Alexander, merchant, and Margaret Campbel: daughter Agnes. Witnesses: Thomas Paul, merchant; George Walker, writer.

29. **Gall,** Alexander, litster, and Anne Walker: twins, Margaret and Jannet. Witnesses: William Hunter, dancing master; Jo. Neiper; Jo. Cochrane.

Sept. 18. **Mackie,** George, farmer: daughter Jannet. Witnesses: James Stuart, Jannet Scot.

Oct. 5. **Sympson,** Thomas, workman: son Alexander. Witnesses: Alexander Clark, James Stuart.

6. **Baxter,** Adam, cooper: son Robert. Witnesses: James Dyce, merchant; Robert Smith, blacksmith.

13. **Stot,** John, cooper: daughter Margaret. Witnesses: James Johnston, bleacher; Jo. Wilson, shoemaker.

Nov. 11. **Forbes,** George, merchant, and Marjory Burnet: son John. Witnesses: Jo. Burnet, Poles, and Alexander Bannerman, merchants.

18. **Nicol,** William, at the Wool-man-hill: son William. Witnesses: Da. Cruickshank, Al. Hill.

21. **Newman,** Francis, wool-comber: daughter Barbara. Witnesses: John Temple, merchant: James Mill, barber; James Wilson, stabler.

1 Mr. Keith had temporary charge till Mr. Gordon's appointment in 1741, and after that acted as second or assistant minister till 1745.

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Nov. 28. **Stivens,** Robert, merchant, and Margaret Forbes: son Robert. Witnesses: Dr James Gordon and Dr. Alexander Ross, physitians.

Dec. 5. **Legetetee,** George, in Collonel Descurry's Regiment: son John. Witnesses: Thomas Moozley, Henry Kinch, Sarah Kelly.

6. **Thomson,** William, slater, and Margaret Stuart: son John. Witnesses: John Glennie, taylor; John Thomson, slater.

24. **Robertson,** Duncan, in the Green: daughter Marjory. Witns.: John Molyson and John Leslie, merchants.

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Jan. 30. **Thomson,** John, slater, and Elizabeth Davidson: son John. Witnesses: John Sligo, wright; John Anderson, glazier.

Feb. 24. **Cooper,** John, wright, and Ellen Robertson: son John. Witns.: Jo. Taylor, trades clerk; James Fordyce, merchant.

Mar. 11 **Smith,** Alexander, merchant, and Jean Swap: son William. Witnesses: William Smith and George Shepherd, merchants.

16. **Midleton,** Thomas, gardener at Robslaw: daughter Margaret. Witnesses: George Skene of Robslaw, Alexander Aberdein, farmer there.

Taylor, John, trades cleark, and Elizabeith Fyffe, his spouse: son Robert (Mr. Taylor Thirkild).[1] Witnesses: Robert Moor and Robert Farquhar, merchants.

22. **Thomson,** Alexander, merchant, son to Portlethen, and Celia Workman, his spouse: daughter Celia. Witnesses: George Skeen of Robslaw, James Thomson of Portlethen.

23. **Hecctor,** Allexander, mason, and Jean Duncan: son James. Witnesses: James Lowerence, merchant in Old Aberdeen; James Hecctor, mason.

Bisset, Allexander, at Mill of Gilcumstone: son William. Witns.: William Minzies and William Simpson, dwelers at Gilcumston.

30. **Green,** William, wright, and Jean Dolass, his spouse: twins, Margaret and Jean. Witnesses: Allexander Dolass and John Cristal, wrights.

April 13. **Mair,** John, merchant, and Marget Cooper, his spouse: daughter Margarat. Witns.: George Cooper, goldsmith; William Baxter, ship.

Colley, William, workman, and Jannet Milne: daughter Wylet. Witnesses: James Anan, workman; James Stewart.

1 Mr. Thirkeld held temporary appointment as second minister from 1 March to 30 May, 1740.

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April 14. **Simpson,** George, cooper, and Euphia Donaldson: daughter Jean. Witnesses: James Mercer and Allexander Baxter, merchants.

May 19. **Martin,** George, at Bolbrige, and Elspet Marr: daughter Elspet. Witnesses: Dkn. Martin and Allexander Martin; John Gordon.

20. **Burnet,** John, merchant, and Theodosius Stuart, his lady: son Theodosius (Mr. Thirkild). Witnesses: James Stewart of Dens, James Burnet.

22. **Tosh,** Thomas, mariner, and Margete Malcom: son Allexander Witnesses: Dr. Allexander Ross; Alexander Christie and Allexander Anand, merchants.

June 4. **Liderdale,** James, of excyse, and Jean Fowler, his lady: daughter Mary. Witns.: John Fowlerton of Dudwick, James Udny, advocate.

12. **Ogilvie,** James, coler of Customhouse, and Rachel Elphinston, his spouse: son James. Witnesses: James Ogilvie of Badentoull, James Thomson of Portlethen.

19. **Chalmers,** Dr. George, physician, and Jannet Elphinston, his spouse: son John. Witnesses: William Chalmers, provest; Allexander Forbes of Foveran.

24. **Anderson,** Patrick, of Bourtie, and Elizabeth Ogilvie, his lady: daughter Elisabath. Witnesses: Allexander Aberdeen, elder and younger, of Cairnbuilg.

July 9. **Sangster,** William, shoemaker, and Isobel Moir, his spouse: son John (Mr. Harper).[1] Witnesses: John Mowats, elder and younger.

13. **Strachan,** James, merchant, and Margarat Moir, his spouse: daughter Rebecack. Witnesses: James Moir and Thomas Frazer, merchands.

17. **Crukshank,** James, weaver: son George. Witnesses: Allexander Smith, merchant; George Cochran.

26. **Forbes,** Hary, merchant, and Isobel Gordon, his spouse: daughter Jean (Mr. John Gordon). Witnesses: Charles and George Forbes, merchants.

Aug. 5. **Beverlie,** William, in the Parish of Nigg: son James. Witnesses: David and Allexander Duncans, lax fishers.

10. **Elphinston,** John, merchant, and Margit Elphinston, his spouse: daughter Mary. Witns.: Henry Elphinston, Capctain Thomas Irvine.

[1] Mr. Harper held temporary appointment as second minister from 29 June, 1740, to 29 March, 1741.

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Aug. 10. **Hardie,** Allexander, black smith, and Margit Gordon, his spouse: son John. Witns.: John Mackinzie, merchant; John Auldjo, baker.

12. **Willson,** Thomas, writer, and Marjory Stewart, his spouse: son Allexander. Witnesses: John Stewart, chirurgion; Allexander Robertson, son to Pitmillan.

17. **Stewart,** William, at New Bridge: son Daniel. Witnesses: Allexander Hay and Allexander Cushney, farmers there.

24. **Kennady,** Alexander, indweller, and Jean Forbes: daughter Jean. Witns.: William Milne, merchant; Andrew More, messenger.

31. **Thomson,** Alexander, wright: daughter Elizabeth. Witnesses: George Linton, William Aiken.

Skinner, Robert: daughter Margaret. Witnesses: James Chalmers, printer; Alexander Milne, merchant.

Sept. 9. **Donaldson,** James, physitian, and Katherine Gordon: daughter Katherine. Witns.: Dr. James Gordon; George Turner, sheriff clerk.

29. **Ferguson,** James, ship-master, and Elspit Carnagie: son James. Witns.: James Carnagie, litster; James Young and Al. Milne, merchants.

Oct. 8. **Douglas,** John, merchant, and Katharine Gordon: daughter Margaret (Mr. William Harper). Witnesses: John Cumming and James Burnet, merchants.

13. **Harvie,** Patrick, masson, and Jane Blenchal: son William. Witns.: William Souper, William Milne, and William Ross, merchants.

25. **McKenzie,** William, merchant, and Barbara More: daughter Margaret. Witns.: Jo. McKenzie, merchant; Al. M'Kinzie, baxter.

Nov. 2. **Forbes,** Alexander, ship-master, and Jannet Strachan: daughter Mary. Witnesses: William Strachan, senior and junior.

Dec. 12. **William,** George, ensign: son William (Mr. Harper). Witnesses: Ja. Ogilvie, collector: And. Garioch.

20. **Dyce,** James, merchant, and Mary Kennady: son James. Witnesses: Alexander Dyce and Al. Kennady, merchants.

25. **Baxter,** Adam, cooper, and Kath. Forbes: son Thomas. Witnesses: Thomas Mercer, James and Andrew Dyces, merchants.

27. **Bartlet,** John, taylor: daughter Anna. Witnesses: Da. Bartlet, writer; Anne Burnet; Mrs. Anne Thomson.

30. **Turnbull,** Peter: son John. Witnesses: Doctor James Gordon, John Burnet.

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Jan. 13. **Thomson,** Patrick, taylor: son Alexander. Witnesses: Al. Tait, merchant; William Thompson, taylor.

15. **Middleton,** Mr. George, of Seaton: daughter Dianna. Witns.: Mrs. Middleton and Mrs. Ogstone.

21. **Angus,** Alexander: daughter Elizabeth. Witnesses: James Wilson, James Stuart.

22. **Bannerman,** Alexander, of Frendrach, merchant, and Margaret Burnet: son Thomas (Mr. Harper). Witnesses: Thomas Burnet of Kirkhill; Jo. Burnet, Elrick.

Feb. 9. **Harpur,** Mr. William, minister of St. Paul's Chapel, and Frances Harpur: son Churchhill. Witnesses: Captain Abraham Hunt and Lieutenant Davies Bagley (Baglie).

10. **Hay,** Alexander, indweller, and Margaret Stronach: son James (Mr. Harpur). Witns.: James Ogilvie, collector: Dr. George Chalmers.

11. **Emslie,** James, quarrier at Lonehead: son William. Witnesses: William Kellie, James Smith, merchants.

Mar. 3. **Turner,** George, shiriff-clerk, and Margaret Gordon: son Robert. Witnesses: Dr. James Donaldson, William Robert Muir, Dr. James Gordon.

30. **Smith,** Alexander, merchant, and Jean Swap: daughter Anna. Witnesses: George Shepherd, Roderick Forbes, merchants.

April 5. **Stiven,** Robert, merchant, and Margaret Forbes: son David. Witnesses: Dr. James Gordon; John Mair, merchant.

11. **Mearns,** Thomas, of Clarkseat: son Thomas. Witnesses: George Crystal, gardener; John Weinies, day labourer.

May 10. **Green,** William, wright, and Jean Doulass: son Patrick. Witns.: Patrick Anderson of Bourtie; Peter Barron, wright.

June 10. **Gordon,** James, of Banchorie, and Mary Buchan: son James. Witnesses: Dr. James Gordon; James Gordon, Cocklerachie.

21. **Ellice,** James, workman, son Alexander. Witnesses: Al. Taylor, James Stuart.

23. **Anderson,** Patrick, of Bourty, and Elizabeth Ogilvie: daughter Isobel. Witns.: Mr. Patrick Thomson, George Cooper, goldsmiths.

July 1. **Coupland,** Charles, merchant, and Margaret Forbes: son John. Witnesses: John Forbes, advocate; Al. Coupland, merchant.

5. **Christie,** Robert, merchant, and Ellen Davidson: daughter Agnes. Witnesses: Andrew Thomson, senior, merchant; William Souper, merchant.

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July 26. **Clark,** John, writer, and Marjory Fraser: daughter Anna. Witnesses: Andrew Walker, Andrew Thomson.

Aug. 3. **Milne,** Alexander, merchant, and Margaret Campbel: daughter Hellen. Witnesses: Thomas Paul, merchant; James Udney, writer.

30. **Marr,** William, in Ferryhill: daughter Elizabeth. Witnesses: William Paul, James Stuart.

Sept. 23. **Arskine,** James, of Findlastone, and Margaret Ross: son James. Witns.: James Thomson of Portlethan; James Catanach, advocate.

24. **Bisset,** William, miller at Gilcumstone: son William. Witns.: William Menzies, William Chesser.

Oct. 1. **Skinner,** Robert, landwaiter, and Elizabeth Ogilvie: son James. Witnesses: James Ogilvie, collector; James Gellie, land surveyor.

[Baptized by Mr. John Gordon.][1]

1741.

Nov. 6. **Liddesdale,** James, collector of the Excise, and Jean Fowlerton: son David. Witnesses: Dr. James Gordon of Hilton; Mr. Udny, advocate.

15. **Elphingstone,** John, merchant, and Margaret Elphinstone: daughter Anna (Mr. Keith). Witnesses: James Ogilvie, collector; Hary Elphinstone, merchant.

20. **Gordon,** Doctor James, of Hilton, and Barbara Cumming: twins, Lewis and Margaret. Witnesses: James Gordon of Banchorie, Lewis Gordon of Auchmull.

Dec. 9. **Frost,** James, in the Parish of Midmar, and Elizabeth Aberdein: daughter Rachal (Mr. Keith). Witnesses: James Brown, litster; Elspet Fargison.

19. **Douglas,** John, merchant, and Katharine Gordon: daughter Jean. Witnesses: George Walker, advocate; William Gordon, present bailie.

22. **Bannerman,** Alexander, of Frendrach, and Margaret Burnet: son Alexander. Witnesses: Sir Alexander Bannerman of Elsick; Alexander Aberdeen, merchant.

25. **Duncan,** George, farmer, and Isobel Coinoch: daughter Isobel (Mr. Keith). Witnesses: John and James Coinoichs.

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Jan. 4. **Wilson,** Thomas, advocate, and Marjory Stuart: son George. Witnesses: George Wilson and George Black, merchants.

8. **Burnet,** John, merchant, and Theodosia Stuart: son James. Witnesses: James Stuart of Denns; James Burnet, merchant.

10. **Cooper,** John, wright, and Ellen Robertson: daughter Margaret. Witnesses: John Taylor, trades clerk; William Crystal, wright.

31. **Nicol,** William, in the Woolmanhill, and Marjory Harvie: daughter Jean (Mr. Keith). Witnesses: William Anderson, farmer; James Johnstone, bleacher.

Harvie, Patrick, mason, and Jean Blenshell: daughter Jean (Mr. Keith). Witnesses: Jo. Murdoch and James Hector, masons.

Feb. 3. **Linton,** George, farmer and horse hirer, and Margaret Ferguson: son John (Mr. Keith). Witnesses: John Barnet and John Ferguson, farmers.

1 Mr. John Gordon was appointed minister on 1 February, 1741. He retired in 1789.

1742.

Mar. 7. **Mair,** John, merchant, and Margaret Cooper: daughter Jannet. Witnesses: Captain William Baxter; George Cooper, goldsmith.

14. **Forbes,** Hary, merchant, and Isobel Gordon: son William. Witns.: William Forbes, senior, and George Forbes, junior, merchants.

Clark, John, indweller: daughter Jean (Mr. Keith). Witnesses: William Brown, woolcomber; Robert Lennard, masson.

17. **Baxter,** Adam, cooper, and Katharine Forbes: daughter Christian. Witnesses: James and Andrew Dyce, merchants.

24. **Thompson,** John, sclater, and Elizabeth Davidson: daughter Margaret (Mr. Keith). Witnesses: William Thompson, sclater; James Blair.

April 28. **Sympson,** William, merchant, and Climentine Ramsay: son Livingstone (Mr. Keith). Witnesses: William Sympson, son to Mr. Simpson; Alexander Livingstone.

30. **Irvine,** Charles, indweller: son James (Mr. Keith). Witnesses: James Stuart, Mr. Keith.

May 2. **Sympson,** Thomas, indweller: daughter Margaret (Mr. Keith). Witnesses: John Kemp, sclater; Jo. Strachan, taylor.

10. **Sympson,** George, cooper, and Euphemia Donaldson: daughter Rachel. Witnesses: Collector Ogilvie; Thomas Mercer, merchant.

11. **Chalmers,** Dr. George, and Jannet Elphinstone: daughter Katharine (Mr. Keith). Witnesses: Captain Irvine, Collector Ogilvie.

25. **Martin,** Alexander, in the Braes of Pitfoddels: daughter Margaret (Mr. Keith). Witnesses: William Martin and Alexander Harrow, farmers there.

June 6. **Kennedy,** Alexander, workman, by his wife Jean Forbes: posthumous son (Mr. Keith). Witnesses: William Stivenson, senior and junior; Alexander Stuart, blacksmith.

12. **Walker,** William, hooker, and Anne Shepherd: daughter Margaret (Mr. Keith). Witnesses: James Speediman, merchant; Francis Leyes, merchant.

24. **Bannerman,** Sir Alexander, of Elsick: daughter Mary. Witnesses: Mr. Bannerman, merchant; the old Lady Bannerman.

July 4. **Garrioch,** Andrew, merchant, and Mary Garrioch. son Alexander. Witnesses: George Garrioch and John Rait, merchants.

5. **Gordon,** James, of Banchorie, and Mary Buchan: son Peter. Witnesses: Peter Duff of Premnay, Dr. James Gordon of Hilton.

1742.

July 8. **Burnet,** James, merchant, and Isobel Black: son John. Witnesses: John Burnet, merchant; George Gordon of Hallhead.

9. **Thompson,** Peter, taylor, and Margaret Tait: son James (Mr. Keith). Witnesses: James Dyce and Al. Tait, merchants.

26. **Coupland,** Charles, merchant, and Margaret Forbes: daughter Katharine. Witnesses: John Forbes, advocate; Al. Coupland, merchant.

Sept. 23. **Turner,** George, sheriff-clerk, and Margaret Gordon: son John (Mr. Keith). Witnesses: Mr. John Gordon, minister; Dr. James Gordon of Hilton.

Dec. 11. **Smith,** James, farmer at the New-Bridge: son John (Mr. Keith). Witnesses: Dr. Chalmers and his young son, and a son of Capt. Irvine, Thomas Irvine.

Sept. 26. **Hector,** Alexander, masson, and Jean Duncan: daughter Margaret (Mr. Keith). Witnesses: Alexander Sinclair, James Hector, masson.

Oct. 25. **Anderson,** Patrick, of Bourty, and Elizabeth Ogilvie: daughter Rachel. Witnesses: Provost Al. Aberdeen; Dr. Al. Ross, physitian.

Nov. 4. **Johnstone,** William, peweterer, and Jean Forbes: son James. Witnesses: James Thomson of Portlethen; James Ogilvie, collector.

11. **Toash,** Thomas, mariner, and Margaret Malcom, his spouse: twins, William and Isobel (Mr. Keith). Witnesses: William Baxter, ship-master; William Young, writer.

24. **Skinner,** Robert, landwaiter, and Elizabeth Ogilvie: daughter Mary. Witnesses: Collector Lidderdale; James Udney, advocate.

Dec. 1. **Dyce,** James, and Mary Kennady, his spouse: daughter Elizabeth (Mr. Keith). Witnesses: Andrew Logie, merchant; Andrew Thomson, advocate.

23. **Milne,** Alexander, merchant, and Margaret Campbel, his spouse: son Collin. Witnesses: James Udny and George Walker, advocates.

1743.

Jan. 6. **Fitzgerald,** William, peruke-maker, and Christian Chalmers: son Edward (Mr. Keith). Witnesses: William Cooper, merchant; Francis Massie, barber.

15. **Stot,** John, at the Barkmill: daughter Isobel (Mr. Keith). Witnesses: George Crystal, John Hall, farmers.

30. **Lidderdale,** James, collector of His Majesties Excise, and Jean Foulertone: son John. Witnesses: John Foulertone of Deudwick; James Udny, advocate.

1743.

Feb. 15. **Brown,** Alexander, sclater, and Hellen Mowat: son James (Mr. Keith). Witnesses: James Mowat, wright; James Joiner, taylor.

Mar. 12. **Wilson,** Thomas, advocate and writer, and Marjory Stuart: daughter Christian. Witnesses: George Wilson, merchant; John Stuart, apothecary.

27. **Anderson,** Alexander, indweller: daughter Elspet (Mr. Keith). Witnesses: James Davidson and William Paul.

28. **Douglas,** John, merchant, and Katharine Gordon: daughter Katharine. Witnesses: James Thomson of Portlethan; William and John Thomsons and John Catanach, merchants.

April 16. **Murdoch,** William, shoemaker: son James (Mr. Keith). Witns.: James Tam; John Murdoch, masson; James Milne.

May 19. **Linton,** George, horse hyrer, and Margaret Ferguson: daughter Gilles (Mr. Keith). Witnesses: George Linton and John Ferguson, farmers.

Bannerman, Alexander, of Frendrauch, merchant, and Margaret Burnet: son Thomas. Witnesses: Thomas Burnet of Kirkhill and Theodore Morison of Bognie.

22. **Green,** William, wright, and Jean Dollas: daughter Jean (Mr. Keith). Witnesses: Alexander Dollas, wright; William Booth, shoemaker.

18. **Burnet,** James, merchant, and Isobel Black: son James. Witnesses: James Catanach, advocate; John Burnet, merchant.

June 5. **Elmsly,** James, quarrier in Lonehead: son Joseph (Mr. Keith).

15. **Burnet,** George, of Kemney, and Hellen Burnet: daughter Mary Witnesses: Dr. James Gordon of Hilton and John Burnet of Elrick.

19. **Donaldson,** James, physitian and professor of Oriental languages, and Katharine Gordon: son James. Witnesses: Dr. James Gordon and James Catanach, advocate.

21. **Cosmo George,** Duke of Gordon, had a son baptized by Mr. John Gordon, Minister of St. Paul's Chapel, named Alexander, Marquis of Huntly. Witnesses: Lord Aberdeen, Lord Haddo and Miss Fraser, Dr. of Lord Salton.

July 5. **Coupland,** Charles, merchant, and Margaret Forbes: son Charles (Mr. Keith). Witnesses: Charles Coupland, senior; John Forbes, writer.

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July 14. **Gordon,** Francis, shoemaker, and Elizabeth Irvine: son Francis (Mr. Keith). Witnesses: Francis Gordon, Mill of Kincardine; Francis Gordon in Drum.

21. **Hardie,** Alexander, blacksmith, and Margaret Gordon: daughter Marjory (Mr. Keith). Witnesses: George Still, merchant; William More, cooper.

28. **Dowe,** Thomas, soldier, and Christian Thomson: son James. Witnesses: James Thomson and James Stuart.

Aug. 8. **Duguid,** George, merchant, and Elizabeth McKintosh: daughter Marjory. Witnesses: Jo. Rickart of Auchnecant; Alexander Young, barber.

Sept. 4. **Clark,** John, writer, and Marjory Fraser: son Andrew (Mr. Keith). Witnesses: Andrew Thompson, advocate; Andrew Tait, organist.

Oct. 20. **Baverlie,** William, in the parish of Nigg: daughter Margaret (Mr. Keith). Witnesses: David Duncan and Alexander Duncan, laxfishers.

Nov. 28. **Thompson,** William, sclater: son .

Dec. 5. **Bisset,** Alexander, in the Braes of Pitfoddels: son George (Mr. Keith). Witnesses: William Matheson, farmer; Agnes Mowat, his wife.

15. **Erskine,** James, shipmaster, and Margaret Ross: daughter Margaret. Witnesses: Patrick Souper, merchant; Alexander Ross, physitian.

31. **Lepier,** James, merchant, and Beatrix Catto: daughter Jean. Witnesses: Mr. Keith, minister; John Burnet, merchant.

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Jan. 1. **Matthew,** George, at the Justice Port: son George (Mr. Keith). Witnesses:

7. **Harrow,** Alexander, at the Braes of Pitfoddeles: daughter Jannet (Mr. Keith). Witnesses: Alexander Harrow, William Martin, farmers there.

18. **Gray,** William, merchant, and Sophia Hunter: son William. Witnesses: William Cooper, James Dyce, merchants.

31. **Simpson,** George, cooper, and Euphia Donaldson: daughter Hellen. Witnesses: William Kellie, maltman; Thomas Mercer; Capt. Baxter.

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Feb. 5. **McKenzie,** William, merchant, and Barbara Moir: daughter Isobel (Mr. Keith). Witnesses: John McKenzie and Alexander Mitchel, merchants.

18. **Ferguson,** Capt. James, shipmaster, and Elspet Carnagie: son James (Mr. Keith). Witnesses: James Carnagie, litster; James Chalmers, printer; Andrew Turner, litster.

Mar. 1. **Wilson,** Thomas, advocate, and Marjory Stuart: son Patrick. Witnesses: Patrick Sandilands, merchant; John Shepherd; John Stuart, apothecary.

14. **Brebner,** William, merchant, and Jean Buchan: daughter Mary. Witns.: James Brebner, merchant; Capt. Andrew Dyce, shipmaster.

18. **Harvie,** Peter, masson, and Jean Blenchel: daughter Anna (Mr. Keith). Witnesses: John Rind, James Hector, massons; James Harvie at Bridge of Don.

19. **Allan,** John, tennant in Rosehall in the parish of New Machar: son George (Mr. Keith). Witnesses: George Barcltet in Kinmundie and George Bartlet in Little Govel.

April 1. **Mair,** John, merchant, and Margaret Cooper: son George. Witnesses: George Cooper, goldsmith; Thomas Gordon, Georges Forbes, merchants.

8. **Simon,** William, taylor: son William. Witnesses: William Alexander, litster; William Proctor, sadler.

16. **Clerk,** John, workman at footee's Port: daughter Isobel (Mr. Keith). Witnesses: Arthur Midnight, Thomas Mitchel, litster.

22. **Garrioch,** Andrew, merchant, and Mary Garrioch: daughter Jean. Witnesses: Alexander Rait, John Chalmers, Regents in old Aberdeen.

26. **Walker,** William, hooker, and Anna Shepherd: daughter Elizabeth (Mr. Keith) Witnesses: John McKenzie, merchant; John Auldjoe, baxter.

May 2. **Turner,** George, shirriff clerk, and Margaret Gordon: daughter Margaret. Witnesses: Dr. James Gordon and Dr. James Donaldson, physitians.

9. **Elphinston,** John, merchant, and Margaret Elphinston: daughter Christian (Mr. Keith). Witnesses: John Burnet of Elrick; George Chalmers, senior, merchant.

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May 14. **Gordon,** James, of Banchorie, and Mary Buchan: daughter Mary. Witnesses: Alexander Lunan and William Brember, merchants in Aberdeen.

Hay, Alexander, indweller, and Margaret Stronach: son John (Mr. Keith). Witns.: Collector James Ogilvie, Dr. George Chalmers.

20. **Collie,** William, workman, and Jannet Milne: daughter Jannet.

23. **Burnet,** James, merchant, and Isobel Black: daughter Margaret. Witnesses: George Gordon of Hallhead and John Burnet, merchant.

June 1. **Findlay,** James, goodman of the Bridge of Dee, and Jean Keith: daughter Jean (Mr. Keith). Witnesses: Jo. Seymours in N. Machar; John Davidson, gardener in Aberdeen.

17. **Forbes,** Peter, indweller, and Jean Watt: son James (Mr. Keith). Witnesses: Arthur Forbes, Robert Strachan, indwellers in Abd.

20. **Skinner,** Robert, landwaiter, and Elizabeth Ogilvie: twins, Robert and Patrick. Witnesses: Robert Thomson, town's clerk; Patrick Logie, writer in Aberdeen.

July 11. **Lidderdale,** James, collector of the Excise, and Jane Foulerton: daughter Eleonora. Witnesses: James Udny, advocate; Robert Thompson, town's clerk.

12. **Craig,** Alexander, indweller, and Jean Forbes: son John (Mr. Keith). Witnesses: Al. Smith, indweller; John Sim, jun., cooper.

16. **McLenan,** Alexander, shirrif officer, son Alexander. Witnesses: David Cruickshank and Daniel McLean, wright.

Aug. 4. **Duguid,** George, merchant, and Elizabeth McKintosh: son John. Witnesses: John Rickart of Auchnacant; James Allardes, merchant.

5. **Anderson,** Patrick, of Bourtee, and Elizabeth Ogilvie: son Alexander. Witnesses: Alexander Aberdein, present Provost; Mr. Alexander Keith, minister. The same child was born July 29th, 1744.

6. **Chalmers,** Doctor George, and Jannet Elphinstone: daughter Jean. Witnesses: Sir Alexander Forbes of Foveran and Captain Thomas Irvine.

Dyce, James, merchant, and Mary Kennady: son John (Mr. Keith). Witnesses: John Tour, merchant; John Morries, baker.

12. **Thompson,** John, slater, and Elizabeth Davison: son Alexander (Mr. Keith). Witnesses: Alexander Scot, wright; Alexander Tait, merchant.

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Aug. 22. **Bodwell,** John, workman in Lonhead: son John (Mr. Keith). Witnesses: the Congregation of St. Paul's Chapel in Aberdeen.

25. **Middleton,** Mr. George, of Seaton: son George (Mr. Keith). Witnesses: William Walker, Captain Middleton.

Sept. 2. **Smith,** James, at Newbridge: daughter Margaret (Mr. Keith). Witnesses: William Leslie, merchant; Thomas Irvine, son to Captain Irvine; Miss Peggy Ogilvie.

6. **Gordon,** Mr. John, Minister of St. Paul's Chapel, and Jean Gordon: daughter Anne (Mr. Keith). Witnesses: Dr. James Gordon, Dr. James Donaldson, physitians.

22. **Ellice,** James, workman: daughter Jean (Mr. Keith). Witnesses: James Stuart, beddle, and the aforesaid Mr. Keith.

Oct. 6. **Cooper,** John, wright, and Hellen Robertson: daughter Isobel (Mr. Keith). Witnesses: William Young, shoemaker; James Jaffray, wright.

13. **Martin,** Alexander, at the Braes of Pitfoddels, and Marjory Harrow: daughter Isobel (Mr. Keith). Witnesses: Alexander Harrow, William Martin, farmers.

Nov. 3. **Bannerman,** Alexander, of Frendraugh, and Margaret Burnet: daughter Anna. Witnesses: Thomas Burnet of Kirkhill, Dr. James Burnet, his brother.

30. **Coupland,** Charles, junior, merchant, and Margaret Forbes: son William. Witnesses: William Orquhart of Meldrum; Jo. Forbes, advocate in Abd.

Dec. 22. **Still,** George, merchant, and Margaret Leys: son George (Mr. Keith). Witnesses: George Cooper, goldsmith; George Keith, ship-master.

23. **Clark,** John, writer, and Marjory Fraser: son Francis (Mr. Keith). Witnesses: Francis Downie of Haughton, Alexander Smith of Inverramsay.

31. **Green,** William, and Jean Dollas: daughter Margaret. Witns.: Alexander Dollas, Alexander Tait, merchant in Abd.

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Jan. 20. **Hector,** Alexander, masson, and Jean Duncan; daughter Jean (Mr. Keith). Witnesses: William Leslie, merchant; James Hector, masson.

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Feb. 15. **Linton,** George, farmer, and Margaret Farguson: daughter Margaret (Mr. Keith). Witnesses: John Farguson, indweller; Jo. Strachan, maltman.

Mar. 12. **Mearns,** John, watchmaker, and Rebecca Gibbon: son William. Witnesses: Bailie William Mowat, Bailie William Gordon.

23. **Simpson,** William, and Clementina Ramsay: daughter Jannet (Mr. Keith). Witnesses: Bailie Gordon, Captain Gordon.[1]

25. **Simpson,** George, cooper, and Euphema Donaldson: daughter Jean. Witnesses: James McKie, William Kellie, maltmen.

May 13. **Wilson,** Thomas, advocate, and Marjory Stuart: son James. Witns.: James Robertson, writer in Edinburg; Jo. Stuart, apothecary in Abd.

June 3. **Mair,** John, merchant, and Margaret Cooper: son William. Witnesses: William Baxter, shipmaster; George Cooper, goldsmith.

22. **Brebner,** William, merchant, and Jean Buchan: twins, James and Alexander. Witnesses: James Gordon of Banchorie, James Dyce, merchants.

Aug. 1. **Sim,** William: daughter Hellen. Witnesses: Robert Walker, fidler; Jannet Emslie, his wife.

12. **Burnet,** James, merchant, and Isobel Black: son George. Witnesses: George Gordon of Hallhead; George Forbes, merchant.

Sept. 1. **Ereskine,** James, shipmaster, and Margaret Ross: son Patrick. Witnesses: Patrick Sandilands, merchant; Dr. Alexander Ross.

2. **Garrioch,** Andrew, merchant, and Mary Garrioch: son Alexander. Witnesses: Mr. Alexander Burnet, Mr. Alexander Rait, Regents in the old College.

23. **Skinner,** Robert, landwaiter, and Elizabeth Ogilvie: daughter Elizabeth. Witnesses: James Gellie, tyde surveyer; Robert Thomson, Town's Clerk.

Oct. 30. **Gray,** William, merchant, and Sophia Hunter: daughter Jean. Witnesses: James Dyce, William Cooper, merchants.

Nov. 9. **Walker,** John, barber, and Elizabeth Strachan: daughter Elizabeth. Witnesses: Alexander Milne, merchant; John Calder, marriner.

Dec. 4. **Turner,** George, Sheriff Clerk, and Margaret Gordon: daughter Catharine. Witnesses: Dr. Gordon, Dr. Donaldson, physitians.

1 Last baptism by Mr. Alexander Keith.

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Feb. 7. **Turner,** Andrew, litster, and Jean Carnagie : son Charles. Witnesses : George Turner, advocate ; Andrew Skeene, surgeon.

Mar. 2. **Gordon,** Mr. John, minister of St. Paul's Chapel in Abd., and Jean Gordon : daughter Margaret (baptized by Mr. Alexander Colquhoun, caplain to General Puttney's Regiment). Witnesses : George Turner, advocate in Abd. ; Dr. James Gordon, physitian.

25. **Bothwell,** John, shipmaster, and Margaret Still : son William. Witnesses : William Green, wright ; John Still, merchant.

April 8. **Douglas,** Francis, baker, and Elizabeth Ouchterlony : son Robert. Witnesses : George Farquarson, Robert Douglas, merchants.

19. **Still,** George, merchant, and Margaret Leyes : son William. Witnesses : John Lumsden, shipmaster ; Francis Leyes, merchant.

May 2. **Bannerman,** Alexander, of Frendraught, merchant, and Margaret Burnet : son Mordaunt. Witnesses : Mr. George Turner, advocate ; James Thompson of Portlethan ; James Burnet, merchant.

12. **Sympson,** William, merchant, and Clementina Ramsay : son Peter. Witnesses : the said Mr. Gordon ; William Sympson, chirurgeon in Abd.

June 29. **Baird,** William, silk-dyer, and Jean Kilgour : son James. Witnesses : James Clark, James Forsyth, merchants.

July 7. **Walker,** Andrew, merchant, and Isobel Strachan : daughter Rachel. Witnesses : William Strachan, senior and junior, both merchants in Abd.

27. **Mair,** John, merchant, and Margaret Cooper : daughter Isobel. Witnesses : George Cooper, goldsmith ; Patrick Scot, merchant ; Mrs. Isobel Cooper.

Dec. 9. **Gordon,** James, of Banchorie, and Mary Buchan : son Thomas. Witnesses : William Brebner, merchant ; Alexander Brebner, surgeon.

13. **Skinner,** Robert, landwaiter, and Elizabeth Ogilvie : son Robert. Witnesses : Collector James Ogilvie ; Mr. Robert Thompson, Town's Clerk.

17. **Garrioch,** Andrew, merchant, and Mary Garrioch : daughter Barbara. Witnesses : George Garrioch, merchant ; Alexander Rait, Regent in the old toun Colledge.

April 16. **Hill,** George, merchant : son William. Witnesses : Francis Leys and his brother Thomas, merchants.

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June 22. **Grant,** Daniel, indweller: son John. Witnesses: James Grant, John Mitchel, indwellers.

24. **Ferguson,** John, shipmaster: son John. Witnesses: James Ferguson, shipmate; James Taylor, sailor.

May 25. **Wilson,** Thomas, advocate: daughter Jean (baptised by Mr. Farquhar, minister of Trinity Chapel). Witnesses: Dr. Stewart; Patrick Sandilands, merchant.

July 7. **Walker,** Andrew, merchant: daughter Rachel. Witnesses: William Strachan, merchant, and his son.

Aug. 5. **Melven,** George, gardener: daughter Margaret. Witnesses: Alexander Scot, wright; Charles Ross, gardener.

6. **Collie,** William, workman: daughter Katharine. Witnesses: John Morice, sailor; George Scot, lax-fisher.

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Jan. 28. **Symers,** Lieutenant Thomas: a black about 12 years of age (baptized by Mr. William Shevel),[1] named Andrew. Witnesses: the above Mr. Symers, William Paul.

Feb. 14. **Gray,** William, merchant, and Sophia Hunter: daughter Margaret. Witnesses: James Dyce of Disblair and Wm. Cooper, merchants.

21. **Aberdein,** Alexander, merchant in Old Aberdeen, and Marjory Hatt: daughter Marjory. Witnesses: James Massie and Jo. Swap, burgers there.

Mar. 9. **Mitchel,** William, taylor, and Margaret Buchan: son John. Witnesses: Alexander Emlie and Alexander Stuart, indwellers in Aberdeen.

25. **Clark,** John, advocate, and Marjory Fraser: daughter Hellen. Witnesses: George Turner, shirriff-clerk; Bailie Symers in Torie.

April 3. **Stronach,** James, glover, and Jean Emslie: son Robert. Witnesses: Robert Melvil, merchant; Robert Joiner, taylor.

5. **Gordon,** Walter, shipmaster, and Isobel Grig: daughter Jean. Witnesses: James Young and Francis Leyes, merchants.

13. **Ogstone,** Alexander, shore waiter, and Katharine Odonuan: daughter Elizabeth. Witnesses: John Finlater, gauger; George Sympson, cooper.

1 Mr. William Sewell was second minister from 12 December, 1746 to 1748.

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April 22. **Cooper,** John, journeyman wright, and Hellen Robertson: son George (baptized by Mr. William Sewell). Witnesses: George Cooper, goldsmith; William Duncan, wright.

May 11. **Linton,** George, horsehyrer, and Margaret Ferguson: daughter Agnus. Witnesses: George Duguid, merchant; James Legg, maltster.

16. **Richie,** John, weaver, and Margaret Williamson: daughter Margaret (Mr. Sewell). Witnesses: James Davidson, weaver; Duncan Robertson.

17. **Philip,** William, weaver, and Mary McIndowe: son Thomas (Mr. Sewell). Witnesses: Thomas Blackhall, laxfisher; James Robertson, maltster.

18. **Thomson,** James, taylor, and Margaret Smith: son Alexander (Mr. Sewell). Witnesses: Alexander Catto, gauger; Alexander Thompson, shoemaker.

24. **Coupland,** Charles, merchant, and Margaret Forbes: son Alexander (Mr. Sewell). Witnesses: Mr. John Gordon, minister; Alexander Mitchel of Colpney.

June 3. **Dyce,** James, merchant, and Mary Kennady: daughter Mary (Mr. Sewell). Witnesses: John and James Cruickshanks, merchants.

6. **Green,** William, wright, and Jean Dollas: son James. Witnesses: James Smith, sadler; James Mercer, tydewaiter.

10. **Gordon,** John, minister of St. Paul's Chapel, and Jean Gordon: son John (Mr. Sewell). Witnesses: John Rickart of Auchnacant; Dr. James Donaldson, physitian.

13. **Douglas,** Francis, baker, and Elizabeth Ouchterlony: daughter Mary. Witnesses: George Gordon and Alexander Mitchel, merchants in Aberdeen.

19. **Brown,** Alexander, sclater, and Hellen Mowat: daughter Leucris. Witnesses: William Alexander, litster; William Leslie, merchant.

July 5. **Duguid,** George, merchant, and Isobel McKintosh: daughter Margaret. Witnesses: Bailie William Davidson and Andrew Waker, merchants.

10. **Wilson,** Thomas, advocate, and Marjory Stuart: posthumous son Thomas. Witnesses: James Wilson of Finzeach; George Wilson, merchant.

19. **Elphinston,** Hary, junior, shipmaster, and Jean Elphinston: daughter Mary. Witnesses: John Elphinston, merchant; John Taylor, Trades Clerk.

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Aug. 4. **Harrow,** John, laxfisher near Bridge of Dee, and Elpet Harrow: daughter Elspet. Witns.: Alexander and James Harrow, grandfathers.

7. **Hector,** William, pyper, and Elizabeth Dollas: daughter Clementina (Mr. Sewell). Witnesses: John Marten, flesher; Al. Davidson, farmer.

26. **McAlland,** David, and Jannet Norrie: natural child David. Witnesses: William Paul, biddle; Jean McGregor.

30. **Ellis,** James, labourer, and Hellen Tytler: son William (Mr. Sewell). Witnesses: Al. Davidson, William Fouler, indwellers in Aberdeen.

July 19. **Martin,** Alexander, flesher in Foulmire, and Marjory Harrow: son William (Mr. Sewell). Witnesses: William Martin and Al. Harrow, fleshers.

Brebner, William, merchant, and Jean Buchan: son Thomas. Witns.: Thomas Buchan of Auchmacoy; Patrick Trunbul, merchant.

20. **Fraser,** John, taylor at Casway-End, and Iobel Monroe: son Charles (Mr. Sewell). Witnesses: Alexander Leight, farmer; John Kemp, blacksmith.

Oct. 4. **Edward,** James, merchant, and Elspet Leslie: son Charles. Witnesses: Charles Stuart, wright; Charles Coupland, junior.

11. **Gordon,** Thomas, merchant, and Jean Barclay: daughter Jean. Witnesses: Anne Gordon; Jean Burnet.

13. **Marr,** John, laxfisher, and Isobel Cullie: son James. Witnesses: William and James Marr, laxfishers.

15. **George,** James, wright, and Isobel Harvie: son John. Witnesses: Charles Smart, John Dunbarr, wrights.

21. **Ereskine,** James, shipmaster, and Margaret Ross: son Thomas. Witnesses: Patrick Souper, merchant; Mr. William Sewell, minister.

Nov. 10. **Walker,** Andrew, merchant, and Isobel Strachan: son James. Witnesses: James Gellie, land waiter; William Strachan, merchant.

15. **Leitch,** James, farmer at Kettie Brouster, and Isobel Rennie: daughter Margaret. Witns.: Gilbert Than, George Murray, farmers.

23. **Bannerman,** Alexander, of Frendraugh, merchant, and Margaret Burnet: daughter Anna. Witnesses: Thomas Burnet of Kirkhill; George Turner, advocate and Shirrif-Clerk.

25. **Gordon,** Mr. Richard, of Craigmill, and Margaret Auchinichie: son John. Witnesses: Doctor Alexander Ross; John Mair, merchant.

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Nov. 26. **Turner,** Andrew, litster, and Jane Carnagie : son Andrew. Witnesses : Andrew Thomson, advocate ; Andrew Skeene, surgeon.

Dec. 4. **Collie,** William, workman, and Jannet Milne : son John. Witnesses : John Lunan, glazier ; John Morris, saillor.

7. **Ferguson,** Capt. James, shipmaster, and Elspet Carnagie : daughter Anne. Witnesses : Andrew Turner, litster ; Jo. Ferguson, sailor.

10. **Burnet,** James, merchant, and Isobel Black : son Robert. Witnesses : Robert Thompson, Town's Clerk ; John Burnet, merchant.

14. **Chissim,** Mathew, indweller, and Jannet Reid : son Alexander. Witnesses : Alexander Kellie, baxter ; Al. Biettie, stabler.

1748.

Jan. 5. **Anderson,** Alexander, chapman, and Margaret Cheyne : son Charles. Witns. : James Mowat, maltster ; William Durward, farmer.

21. **Skinner,** Robert, landwaiter, and Elizabeth Ogilvie : daughter Elizabeth. Witnesses : Alexander Bannerman, merchant ; Dr. James Gordon.

22. **Mair,** John, merchant, and Margaret Cooper : daughter Christian. Witnesses : Capt. William Baxter ; George Cooper, goldsmith.

Donald, Robert, weaver, and Jean Reid : son John. Witnesses : John Young, John Reid, weavers.

Feb. 11. **Ross,** James, shirriff officer, and Jean McGregor : son Charles. Witnesses : Charles Coupland, junior ; Charles Ross, gardener.

Mar. 5. **Hay,** Alexander, indweller, and Margaret Stronach : son Alexander. Witnesses : Provost Alexander Robertson ; Alexander Pierie, merchant.

6. **Simpson,** George, cooper, and Euphia Donaldson : daughter Margaret. Witnesses : William Kellie, maltster ; William Cooper, merchant.

13. **Simpson,** Thomas, flax-dresser, and Marjory Walker : daughter Anne. Witnesses : James Knows, boatman ; John Mowat, millart.

18. **Watt,** William, journeyman shoemaker, and Marjory Nicol : daughter Jane. Witnesses : Charles Moir, shipmaster ; George Gellie.

April 6. **Longlands,** David, slater, and Christian Straiton : daughter Christian. Witns. : Thomas Richie ; Patrick Scot ; David Monchrief.

11. **Christie,** Robert, merchant, and Ellen Davidson : son Andrew. Witnesses : Ballie Andrew Logie ; Andrew Thompson, Andrew Walker, merchants.

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April 26. **Gray,** William, merchant, and Sophia Hunter: son Alexander. Witnesses: William Cooper, Alexander Milne, merchants.

May 1. **Forbes,** John, laxfisher, and Rebecca Smith: son James. Witnesses: James Knolls, boatman; James McKray, gardener; James Gibbon.

3. **Bizet,** Alexander, day-labourer, and Margaret Linton: son Alexander. Witnesses: William Paul, cobler; Isobel Ronald; Margaret Murdoch.

12. **Nicol,** Walter, merchant, and Margaret Gray: son Walter. Witnesses: John Mackenzie, merchant; Alexander Mackenzie, baker.

15. **Walker,** Robert, musician, and Jannet Emslie: son James. Witnesses: James Michie, George Tower, merchants in Aberdeen.

Baverly, William, husbandman in the parish of Neg, and Jean Duncan: son William. Witnesses: the Rev. Mr. Wm. Sewel; James Abercrombie, watchmaker.

16. **Spark,** Thomas, merchant, and Jean Cumine: son Thomas. Witnesses: Thomas Bennerman, son of Alexander Bennerman; Alexander Cumine, merchant.

22. **Forbes,** James, snuff-grinder, and Janet Richie: son John. Witnesses: George Gillespie, Andrew Berrie, indwellers in Aberdeen.

June 10. **Ingram,** John, day-labourer at Lonehead, and Margaret Ross: son Alexander (baptized in the Chapel). Witnesses: Alexander Strachan; William Leighton.

12. **Philip,** William, merchant, and Anne Brown: son William. Witnesses: George Simpson, cooper; James Nivie, James Speediman, merchants.

July 8. **Green,** William, square wright, and Jean Dolas: son John (Mr. Sewell). Witnesses: John Elphistone, merchant; John Botwell, ship-master.

16. **Adam,** Alexander, gardener at Whit-myres, and Margaret Crane: son John. Witns.: John Wallace, gardener; John Thompson, farmer.

17. **Forbes,** George, younger, and Elizabeth Gordon: daughter Mary (Mr. Sewell). Witnesses: Thomas Burnet of Kirkhill; George Forbes; Robert Sandilands.

24. **Blackhall,** William, indweller, and Mary Thom: daughter Margaret. Witnesses: John Elphinstone, Thomas Spark, merchants in Aberdeen.

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Aug. 14. **Killgour,** Patrick, merchant, and Katarin Forbes: son Charles. Witnesses: Charles Gordon of Newtyle; Charles Dun, schoolmaster.

19. **Melven,** George, gardener, and Margaret Bass: daughter Elizabeth. Witns.: Thomas Richie, messanger; John Smith, shoemaker.

21. **Edward,** James, merchant, and Elspet Leslie: daughter Margaret. Witnesses: George Henderson, square wright; George Hepburn.

27. **Ross,** Alexander, merchant in Old Aberdeen, and Jean Irvine: daughter Jean. Witnesses: Alexander Irvine of Pitmuckstone and Francis Gordon.

Sept. 11. **Birnie,** James, shoemaker, and Elizabeth Johnstone: daughter Elizabeth. Witnesses: William Booth, shoemaker; Thomas Toash, shipmaster.

27. **Gordon,** John, minister of St. Paul's Chapel, and Jean Gordon: son James (Mr. Sewell). Witnesses: Dr. James Gordon; Dr. James Donaldson; James Burnet, merchant.[1]

28. **Douglas,** Francis, baker, and Elizabeth Ouchterlony: daughter Elizabeth. Witnesses: George Gordon, merchant; William Farquirson, surgeon.

Oct. 12. **Coupland,** Charles, merchant, and Margaret Forbes: daughter Christian. Witnesses: Baillie Alexander Coupland and Dean of Guild William Coupland, merchants.

26. **Cruickshand,** James, journeyman wright, and Jean Rickart: son John. Witnesses: John Rickart of Auchnecant; David Deuchards; John Mowat.

Nov. 13. **Stewart,** Alexander, blacksmith, and Christian Stewart: son Charles. Witnesses: Charles Stewart, weaver; John Law, wright.

20. **Turner,** John, bricklayer, and Ellen Kellie: son John. Witns.: Andrew Walker, and William Thoms, bricklayers.

Dec. 24. **Laing,** John, indweller, and Christian Milne: son John. Witns.: John Gibb, William Blackhall and Samuel Duncan, indwellers in Abd.

26. **Duguid,** George, merchant, and Isobel Mackingtosh: daughter Jean. Witnesses: Andrew Walker and William Ogilvie, merchants; James Mercer.

1749.

Jan. 14. **Burnet,** James, cloathier, and Isobel Black: son Peter. Witns.: Peter Trumbul, Patrick Sandilands, merchants.

1 Last Baptism by Mr. William Sewell.

1749.

Jan. 19. **Farquher,** Robert, bookseller, and Margaret Ross: daughter Margaret. Witnesses: Robert Farquhar, George Cooper, George Garrioch, merchants.

21. **Ross,** John, gardiner, and Anne Hay: daughter Christian (baptized by Mr. Thomas Moses).[1] Witnesses: George Logan, bricklayer; Robert Walker, fidler.

22. **Leslie,** Patrick, merchant, and his spouse, Margaret Duckison: son John, born 14 Jan., 1749. Witnesses: William Lesslie, merchant; John Duckison, elder and younger.

Feb. 1. **Davidson,** Alexander, flax-dresser, and Margaret Smith: son Alexander. Witns.: Robert Lamb, Robert Cruickshank, indwellers.

12. **Thompson,** James, taylor, and Margaret Smith: son Andrew (Mr. Moses). Witnesses: Andrew Thompson, Andrew Walker, merchants in Aberdeen.

16. **Harrow,** David, flesher in the town of Brow, and Agnus Harrow: son James (baptized by Mr. Moses in the chapel). Witnesses: James Harrow, James Mar, laxfishers.

Mar. 4. **Clark,** John, advocate, and Marjory Fraser: son James. Witns.: James Catanoch, James Petrie, advocates in Aberdeen.

7. **Simpson,** George, cooper, and Euphia Donaldson: daughter Euphia. Witnesses: William Kellie, William Cooper.

12. **Walker,** John, barber, and Elspit Strachan, his spouse: son Alexander. Witnesses: Alexander Osburne, Alexander Walker, merchants.

13. **Linton,** George, farmer, and Margaret Farguson: daughter Elspit. Witnesses: George Linton, John Farguson, farmers.

19. **Gordon,** Thomas, merchant, and Jean Barclay: son Charles. Witnesses: Charles Gordon, Burthlay; Peter Sandilands, merchant.

22. **Paul,** William, indweller, and Isobel Greig: daughter Isobel. Witnesses: Elspit Smith, Margaret Milne.

April 10. **Marnoch,** John, shoemaker, and Jean Nairn: son John. Witnesses: John Maver, John Robb, indwellers in the Old Town.

11. **Molyson,** Alexander, laxfisher at the Denburn, and Mary Siller: son Francis. Witnesses: Francis Molyson, wheelwright; Alexander Hill.

1 The Rev. Thomas Moses, M.A., was appointed second minister on 10 October, 1748. He resigned in 1757.

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April 15. **Giddes,** John, musitian, and Ann Touch: son Alexander. Witnesses: Alexander Mackdonal, musitian; William Strachan, blacksmith.

May 14. **Hector,** William, piper at Windmill Brae, and Elizabeth Dollas: daughter Jean. Witnesses: Alexander Davidson, flaxdresser; William Mar, laxfisher.

Turner, Andrew, litster, and Jean Carnagie: son John. Witns.: John Ross, junior, of Arnagie; John Carnagie, writter.

June 5. **Walker,** Andrew, senior, merchant, and Margaret Smith: son Andrew. Witnesses: Andrew Logie, John McKenzie, merchants in Aberdeen.

15. **Stewart,** William, chapman, and Margaret Bean: daughter Jannet. Witnesses: John Walker, barber; William Smith, taylor.

16. **Bruce,** James, gardener, and Isobel Beggarie: son John (Mr. Moses). Witnesses: John Christal, wright; John Murray, gardener.

18. **Walker,** Andrew, merchant, and Isobel Strachan: son William. William Symson, William Strachan, merchants.

25. **Newman,** Francis, woolcomber, and Isobel Forbes: son James (Mr. Moses). Witnesses: John Innes, square wright; James Thompson, tobacconist.

July 2. **MacAndrew,** James, farmer, and Jean Donaldson: daughter Elizabeth. Witnesses: James Christie, farmer; William Angus, gardener.

10. **Jillep,** John, soldier in General Guise Regiment, and Mary Smith: son John (Mr. Moses). Witnesses: Francis Newman, woolcomber; John Towars, soldier.

23. **Cooper,** John, wright, and Helen Robertson: daughter Elizabeth (Mr. Moses). Witnesses: John Taylor, trades clerk; William Duncan, wright.

Aug. 27. **Thompson,** Alexander, journayman wright, and Isobel Rolland: daughter Charlot. Witnesses: James Milne, barber; John Rolland.

Sept. 5. **Skinner,** Robert, land surveyar, and Elizabeth Ogilvie: daughter Jean. Witnesses: Robert Thompson, town's clerk; Andrew Walker, advocate.

15. **Alder,** John, soldier in General Guise Regiment, and Susan Crawford: daughter Susan. Witnesses: John Wedsworth, Robert Duncan, soldiers in the said Regiment.

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Sept. 17. **Arskine,** James, shipmaster, and Margaret Ross : daughter Anne. Witnesses : Patrick Souper, merchant ; Charles Moir, shipmaster.

21. **Gordon,** Richard, of Craigmill, advocate, and Mary Auchnynichie : daughter Jean. Witnesses : Dr. Alexander Ross ; Lady Glack.

24. **Johns,** Robert, soldier in General Guise Regiment, and Elizabeth Harvie : son James (Mr. Moses). Witnesses : Henry Rydence, James Carrie, soldiers.

Oct. 3. **Coupland,** Charles, merchant, and Margaret Forbes : daughter Mary. Witnesses : Alexander and William Couplands, merchants.

9. **Kilgour,** Peter, litster, and Jean Sangster : daughter Barbara. Witnesses : William Milne, merchant ; Peter Barron, square wright.

10. **Gray,** William, merchant, and Sophia Hunter : daughter Sophia. Witnesses : William Cooper, merchant ; Andrew Tait, organist.

13. **Peacok,** Francis, dancing master, and Ellen Forbes : daughter Elizabeth. Witnesses : Dr. John Gregory, physitian ; Lieutenant Symmors.

14. **Kellie,** James, drummer in General Guise's Regiment, and Martha Kellie : daughter Jean (Mr. Moses). Witnesses : William Allan, Alexander Bizet, soldiers.

16. **Spark,** Thomas, merchant, and Jean Cumine : daughter Ellen. Witnesses : David Barclat, writter ; Peter Scot, merchant.

21. **Cumming,** John, sailer, and Christian Mackie : son William (Mr. Moses). Witnesses : William Leslie, merchant ; William Sankstar, shoemaker.

Nov. 8. **Alexander,** George, and Jannet Henrie : bastard son George. Witnesses : Alexander Alexander, George Gray, indwellers.

18. **Wedeworth,** John, soldier in General Guise's Regiment, and Hannah, his wife : daughter Diana. Witnesses : William Allan, Alexander Bizzet, soldiers.

19. **Edward,** James, burger, and Elizabeth Leslie : daughter Ellen. Witnesses : George Catanach, John Harrow, barbers.

26. **Shand,** Robert, horsehirer, and Beatrix Chynoch : son James. Witnesses : James Burnet, clothur ; Andrew Loggie, merchant.

Dec. 2. **Harrow,** Alexander, flesher in Braes of Pitfoddiels, and Elizabeth Martin : son George. Witns. : John Philip, George Harrow, farmers.

9. **Don,** Gasken, soldier in the Royal Welsh Fuzilers, and Ellen Storer : son John. Witnesses : William Piggeon, Alexander Fraser, soldiers in said Regiment.

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Dec. 9. **Brigman,** Thomas, soldier in the above Regiment, and his wife, Catharine: son Thomas. Witnesses: John Fairgrove, William Stockdale, soldiers in said Regiment.

15. **Cotton,** John, sergeant in the above Regiment, and Marianne, his wife: daughter Margaret. Witnesses: Thomas Howie; Margaret Morries.

30. **Frazier,** John, staymaker at Cassaway End, and Elizabeth Monnro: son John. Witnesses: George Hector, James Berrie at Cassay-End.

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Jan. 15. **Ross,** William, merchant, and Elizabeth Mercer: son James. Witnesses: James Mercer, James Legirtwood, merchants.

20. **Masson,** Charles, hockster at the Woman Mill, and Jean Masson: daughter Chatharine. Witnesses: Francis Ross, merchant; Thomas Chesser.

21. **Mair,** John, merchant, and Margaret Cooper: daughter Elizabeth (Mr. Moses). Witnesses: George Cooper, goldsmith; Dr. Alexander Ross.

Feb. 3. **Harrow,** John, laxfisher at outseats, and Elspit Harrow: son James. Witns.: James Harrow, laxfisher; Andrew Harrow, flesher.

5. **Owins,** Thomas, soldier in R. Welsh, and Agnus Head: son Robert. Witnesses: James Gervice and Robert Temperle, soldiers.

6. **Bacher,** Michael, drummer in the above Regiment, and Hannah, his wife: son James. Witnesses: James Pang, John Borton, soldiers in ditto.

8. **Stott,** John, cooper, and Isobel Donald: daughter Anne. Witnesses: Alexander McDonald; Gilbert Smith.

9. **Cook,** John, soldier in said Regiment, and Jean, his wife: son John. Witnesses: Laurance Garrioh, Joseph Doaler, soldiers.

11. **Stile,** Edward, woolcomber, and Anne Pirie: son James. Witnesses: James Milne, James Shand, merchants.

27. **Brearly,** John and Anne, in the above Regiment: son John. Witnesses: Thomas Catenach, John Morn, soldiers.

Mar. 5. **Austine,** John, sailer, and Rachel Ferrier: daughter Margaret (Mr. Moses). Witnesses: Alexander Scot, maltster; John Trail, gardener.

8. **Morison,** Alexander, shorewaiter, and Jean Swan: daughter Mary. Witns.: John Rollo, land surveyer; George Forbes, merchant.

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Mar. 11. **Ferguson,** Alexander, horsehyrer, and Jean Stevenson: son George. Witnesses: George Stevenson, gardener; Alexander Craig, farmer.

25. **McIntosh,** William, and Catherine, his wife: son William (Mr. Moses). Witnesses: William Imly; William Gaffray.

29. **Hay,** Alexander, indweller, and Margaret Stronach: daughter Rachel (Mr. Moses). Witnesses: James Logie, Alexander Pirie, merchant.

April 4. **Mar,** John, laxfisher at Windyhills, and Elizabeth Cowlie: daughter Margaret (Mr. Moses in the Chapel).

12. **Farquhar,** Robert, bookseller, and Margaret Ross: son Robert (Mr. Moses). Witnesses: Mr. Robert Farquhart; Margaret Smith.

16. **Burnet,** James, and Isobel Black: daughter Elizabeth. Witns.: Patrick Trumbal, Patrick Souper, merchants.

17. **Sangster,** John, shoemaker, and Anne Watt: daughter Anne (baptized in the Chapel).

May 4. **Kilgour,** Robert, tobacconist, and Margaret Lairg: two daughters, the first born Lucras and the other Jean. Witnesses: Thomas Glennie, merchant; William Baird, silk dyer.

6. **Broun,** Alexander, slater, and Ellen Mowat: daughter Nellie. Witnesses: David Longlands, slater; Alexander Anderson, Burn-side.

15. **Chissam,** Mathew, indweller, and Jannet Reed: daughter Elspit. Witnesses: William and James White.

Duguid, George, merchant, and Isobel McInkintosh: son James (Mr. Moses). Witnesses: James Burnet, clothier; Andrew Walker, merchant.

19. **Christie,** Robert, indweller, and Ellen Davidson: son James (Mr. Moses). Witnesses: James Dyce of Displair; James Abernethy, merchant, and his son.

26. **Robertson,** John, soldier in the Welch Fuziliers, and Margaret Fleming: son John (Mr. Moses). Witnesses: John Forbes, soldier, and his wife.

Douglas, Francis, merchant, and Elizabeth Ouchterlony: daughter Mary (Mr. Moses). Witnesses: Robert Farquharson; Alexander Milne, merchant.

27. **Moir,** Francis, and Elizabeth Alerdice: bastard child Charles. Witnesses: William Selvie, John Leoneard, hocksters.

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May 28. **Cumming,** John, Collector of Excise, and Anne Anderson : son John Maul. Witnesses : Dr. James Gordon of Pitlarg ; Ballie William Mowat ; Robert Thompson, town's clerk.

31. **Charles,** William, servitor of Envercald, and Jean Ritchie : daughter Jean (Mr. Moses). Witnesses : Alexander McDonald, Francis Gordon, burgers in Aberdeen.

June 7. **Bennerman,** Alexander, merchant, and Anna Burnet : son Charles (Mr. Moses). Witnesses : Thomas Burnet of Kirkhill and his brother, Mr. James Burnet.

9. **Blackhall,** William, indweller, and Mary Thom : son James (Mr. Moses). Witnesses : Dr. James of Pitlarg ; James Gordon, his son.

23. **Brembner,** William, merchant, and Jean Buchan : son James (Mr. Moses). Witnesses : Thomas Buchan of Auchmacoy ; Alexander Brembner, surgeon.

July 12. **Hutcheson,** Archebald, stocken weaver, and Elizabeth Auldjo : son Andrew. Witnesses : Andrew Walker, Alexander Milne, merchants in Aberdeen.

16. **Westgard,** Thomas, soldier in the Welch Fuziliers, and Margaret Skeene : bastard daughter Marjory. Witnesses : Barbara Knows ; Marjory Leith.

15. **Forbes,** John, laxfisher, and Rebecca Smith : daughter Mary. Witnesses : James Chissim, Thomas Blackhall, laxfishers.

22. **Green,** William, square wright, and Jean Dollas : son William. Witnesses : William Ross, Alexander Gordon, merchants.

25. **Simpson,** George, cooper, and Euphia Donaldson : son Alexander. Witns. : William Kellie, malster ; William Cooper, merchant.

Aug. 12. **Anderson,** Alexander, chapman, and Margaret Chain : daughter Anne. Witns. : Daniel McKenzie, George Duncan, horsehyrers.

15. **Innes,** Alexander, commissary clerk, and Anne Ross : son Alexander. Witnesses : Dr. Alexander Ross ; Alexander Innes, writter.

18. **Harrow,** David, flesher in the Toun of Brae, and Agnus Harrow : daughter Agnus (baptised in the Chapel). Witnesses : Alexander and James Harrows.

28. **Leitch,** James, and Isobel Rennie : son Robert (Mr. Moses). Witnesses : William Leitch, James Birnie, indwellers.

29. **Lidderdale,** James, collector of the Excise, and Jean Fowlerton : son Thomas. Witnesses : Dr. James Gordon of Pitlarg ; James Udney, advocate.

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Sept. 8. **Duncan,** Alexander, in Midle Ardow, and Jannet Strachan: daughter Ellan (baptized in the Chapel). Witnesses: William Donald, John Strachan, his neighbours.

9. **Gellie,** Ludovick, and Jannet Taylor: bastard daughter Ellan. Witnesses: John Duncan, John Blair, indwellers.

21. **Reed,** William, weaver, and Jean Stevenson: son William. Witnesses: William Stevensons, older and younger.

Oct. 1. **Williamson,** Alexander, and Elizabeth Catto: bastard son James. Witnesses: Margaret Smith, her mother; Margaret Wachan.

17. **Ritchie,** John, journeyman weaver, and Margaret Williamson: son John. Witnesses: John Reed, John Robertson, weavers.

21. **Adamson,** John, shoemaker, and Jean Mitchel: daughter Mary. Witnesses: Francis Gordon, shoemaker; John Sligo, wheelwright.

Coupland, Charles, merchant, and Margaret Forbes: son Urquhart. Witnesses: Ballie Alexander; Dean of Guild William Couplands.

22. **Philip,** William, merchant, and Anne Brown: daughter Anne. Witnesses: George Simpson, cooper; William Kellie, malster; Robert Moir.

Nov. 9. **Mackmillan,** Robert, soldier in General Pultney's Regiment, and Elizabeth Gray: daughter Margaret. Witnesses: John Harris, Thomas Fellows, soldiers.

13. **Cruickshank,** William, merchant, and Agnus Ritchie: bastard daughter Margaret (Mr. Moses). Witnesses: George Moir, malster; Alexander Agnus, gardener.

Robertson, John, soldier, and Anna Robertson: son Joseph. Witnesses: Joseph Cooper, Ritchard Moden, soldiers in General Pultney's Regiment.

14. **Davidson,** Alexander, flax-dresser, and Margaret Smith: daughter Katharine. Witnesses: Robert Cruickshank, malster; Andrew Davidson, gardener.

25. **Walker,** Robert, fidler, and Jannet Emslie: daughter Jannet. Witnesses: John Giddes, Alexander McDonald, fidlers in Aberdeen.

28. **Clerk,** James, soldier in General Guise Regiment, and Elizabeth Kellie: son George. Witnesses: David Jeans, shoemaker; Alexander Bettie, stabler.

Dec. 4. **Murgon,** George, indweller, and Elizabeth Murgon: son William. Witnesses: Wm. Baird, silk dyer; George Catanach, barber.

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Dec. 8. **Laing,** John, indweller, and Christian Milne: son James. Witnesses: James Adam, John Gibb, indwellers.

10. **Leiper,** James, merchant, and Beatricks Catto: daughter Margaret. Witnesses: George Gordon, merchant; Hugo Gordon, watchmaker.

15. **Gray,** William, merchant, and Sophia Hunter: son James. Witnesses: William Cooper, merchant; Andrew Tait, organist.

22. **Touch,** William, day-labourer, and Ellan Coulie: son John. Witnesses: John Man, laxfisher; William Couts, day-labourer.

28. **Skinner,** Robert, land-surveyor, and Elizabeth Ogilvie: son Herculos. Witnesses: Col. James Lidderdale; Robert Thompson, town's clerk.

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Jan. 5. **Ross,** William, merchant, and Elizabeth Mercer: daughter Elizabeth. Witns.: William Mowat, James Legirtwood, ballies in Aberdeen.

8. **Smith,** Robert, in Upper Aungeston, and Jannet Moir: daughter Isobel (baptized in the Chapel). Witnesses: Alexander Walker, William Smith, in said Toun.

Kilgour, Peter, dyer, and Jean Sangster: daughter Jean. Witnesses: Peter Barron, wright; William Baird, silk-dyer.

10. **Gordon,** Mr. John, minister of St. Paul's Chapel, and Jean Gordon: son William (Mr. Moses). Witnesses: Dr. James Gordon, Dr. James Donaldson, physitians.

12. **Ross,** Alexander, merchant in Old Aberdeen, and Jean Irvine: son Charles. Witnesses: Francis Gordon, shoemaker; Alexander Irvine of Pitmuckstone; James Michie, square wright.

28. **Walker,** Andrew, merchant, and Margaret Smith: son Alexander. Witnesses: Baillie Alexander Logie, John Mackenzie, merchant.

31. **May,** James, sailer, and Margaret Watson: bastard son Charles (Mr. Moses). Witnesses: Peter Wilson; Jean Wilson.

Feb. 3. **Sangster,** John, day-labourer at Kettie Brouster, and Anne Barron: daughter Isobel (Mr. Moses). Witnesses: Gilbert Thom; William Sangster.

7. **Philip,** William, weaver, and Mary Mackimdow: son James (Mr. Moses). Witnesses: James Smith, James Robertson, malsters.

13. **Pigeon,** George, soldier in Pultney's Regiment, and Margaret Stewart: daughter Jean (Mr. Moses). Witnesses: John Walker, Alexander Lees, soldiers.

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Feb. 21. **Barclay,** Alexander, hat maker, and Katherine Williamson: daughter Mary (Mr. Moses). Witnesses: Peter Lesslie, James English, hat makers.

24. **Robertson,** Alexander, weaver, and Elizabeth Robertson: daughter Isobel. Witnesses: Gilbert Robertson; George Donaldson.

Mar. 12. **Melvil,** George, gardener, and Margaret Bass: son George (Mr. Moses). Witnesses: George Meldrum, shoemaker; George Hetherwick, gardener.

22. **Sutherland,** John, and Margaret Laurance: bastard son John (Mr. Moses). Witnesses: Richard Brucks; Jannet Rock.

25. **Walker,** John, soldier in Pultney's Regiment, and Katherine, his wife: daughter Isobel (Mr. Moses). Witnesses: Alexander Lees, sergeant; George Pigeon.

26. **Fiddes,** William, dyer in Old Aberdeen, and Margaret Gordon: daughter Margaret. Witnesses: Francis Gordon, shoemaker; James Michie, square wright.

27. **Forbes,** George, junior merchant, and Elizabeth Gordon: daughter Anne (Mr. Moses). Witnesses: John Burnet of Camphil, merchant; John Gordon, lawyer.

28. **Peacok,** Francis, dancing master, and Ellan Forbes: son John. Witnesses: Dr. John Gregory; Capt. Thomas Symmors.

April 9. **Adam,** Alexander, gardener in White-Myres, and Margaret Cranah: son Andrew. Witnesses: Andrew Thompson, advocate; John Malcom.

Newman, Francis, wool comber, and Elizabeth Forbes: daughter Margaret (Mr. Moses). Witnesses: William Blackhall, Alexander Nicol, indwellers.

13. **Roger,** John, carpenter, and Anne Cowlie: son James (Mr. Moses). Witnesses: William Touch; Ellan and Elizabeth Cowlies.

16. **Watt,** William, journeyman shoemaker, and Marjory Nicol: son Charles. Witnesses: Charles Moir, shipmaster; Charles Baird.

May 12. **MacAndrew,** James, hyrer, and Jean Donaldson: son James. Witnesses: James Christie, hyrer; James Cruickshank, shoemaker.

White, Peter, hook maker, and Margaret Clerihew: son John (Mr. Moses). Witnesses: John Gesima, merchant; John Sligo, wheelwright.

14. **Leslie,** Peter, merchant, and Margaret Duckason: son William. Witnesses: William Strachan, William Leslie, merchants.

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May 19. **Garrioch,** Andrew, merchant, and Mary Garrioch : daughter Margaret. Witnesses : Provost Alexander Levingston, George Garrioch, merchants.

25. **Hector,** William, piper, and Elizabeth Dollas : daughter Anne. Witnesses : James Steveson and John Thompson.

30. **Gavin,** George, slater, and Katharine Gall : son Charles (Mr. Moses). Witnesses : James Milne, barber ; John Roland, mason.

June 2. **George,** James, journeyman wright, and Isobel Harvey : son John. Witnesses : Charles Smart, wright ; Alexander Davidson, flax-dresser.

3. **Ferrier,** William, and Margaret Murdoch : bastard son William. Witnesses : Robert Kinock, William Adam, horsehyrers.

4. **Charles,** James, taylor, and Elspit Watson : son James. Witnesses : John Reed, weaver ; Andrew Milne.

Shand, Robert, horsehyrer, and Beatrik Khynoch : son Robert. Witnesses : Robert Kynoch, George Duncan, hyrers.

9. **Lobban,** Thomas, blacksmith, and Margaret Smith : son John (Mr. Moses). Witnesses : James Lobban ; William Anderson.

20. **Green,** William, square wright, and Jean Dollas : daughter Jean. Witnesses : Charles Coupland, merchant ; Alexander Dollas.

30. **Stewart,** Alexander, blacksmith, and Christian Stewart : daughter Isobel. Witnesses : Alexander Stewart, William Sedlar, laxfishers.

July 7. **Thompson,** James, taylor, and Margaret Smith : son James (Mr. Moses). Witns. : James Milne, merchant ; James Birnie, shoemaker.

11. **Duguid,** George, merchant, and Isobel Mackintosh : son George. Witnesses : George Forbes, George Durward, merchants.

15. **Spark,** Thomas, merchant, and Jean Cumming : daughter Jean. Witnesses : David Barclat, advocate ; William Mar, merchant.

21. **Edward,** James, hat dresser, and Elspit Leslie : daughter Elspit. Witnesses : William Leniord, taylor ; George Catanach, barber.

23. **Shepherd,** William, slater, and Barbara Hunter : daughter Christian. Witnesses : David Langlands, Peter Hunter, indwellers.

Aug. 22. **Burnet,** James, clothier, and Isobel Black : daughter Jean. Witnesses : Dr. James Gordon of Pitlurg ; Peter Trumbel, merchant.

31. **Mar,** James, laxfisher at Mutton Brae, and Elizabeth Reed : daughter Isobel. Witnesses : William Mar, John Harrow, laxfishers.

Cumming, John, collector of Excise, and Anne Anderson : son James. Witnesses : Ballie William Mowat ; James Smith, sedler.

1751.

Sept. 3. **Harrow,** John, laxfisher at Outseats, and Elspit Harrow : daughter Agnus. Witns. : James Harrow, laxfisher ; Alexander Harrow flesher.

5. **Linton,** George, farmer, and Margaret Ferguson : son, George. Witnesses : George Linton, John Ferguson, farmers.

12. **Mackintosh,** William, indweller, and Kathrine, his wife : son Alexander. Witns. : Alexander Thompson, Alexander Scot maltsters.

15. **Molyson,** William, sailer, and Anne, his wife : daughter Anne. Witnesses : John and Francis Molysons.

Oct. 8. **Austine,** John, saylor, and Rachel Ferrur : daughter Jean (Mr. Moses). Witnesses : James Chalmers, printer ; Charles Ferrier.

27. **Paul,** Alexander, square wright, and Jean Nicol : daughter Margaret. Witnesses : John and David Paul, shoemakers in Aberdeen.

Birnie, James, shoemaker, and Elizabeth Johnstone : daughter Hellen (Mr. Moses). Witnesses : William Booth, shoemaker ; William Gavin, taylor.

Nov. 1. **Mair,** John, merchant, and Margaret Cooper : daughter Isobel (Mr. Moses). Witnesses : Capt. William Baxter ; George Cooper, goldsmith.

2. **Ross,** James, sheriff officer, and Jean McGregor : son Alexander. Witnesses : Alexander Ross, merchant ; Alexander Ross, flesher.

20. **Wilson,** Peter, merchant, and Dorathe Forbes : son George. Witnesses : Mr. George Gordon, Professor of Languages ; George Ross, goldsmith.

24. **Hector,** William, mason, and Jean Robertson: : daughter Margaret. Witnesses : John Robertson, John Gill, masons.

Dec. 10. **May,** James, taylor, and Elizabeth Ogilvie daughter Elizabeth (Mr. Moses). Witnesses : Alexander Menzies ; William Paul.

13. **Ross,** William, merchant, and Elizabeth Mercer : daughter Jean. Witnesses : Bailie William Mowat ; Bailie Legertwood.

14. **Arburnet,** James, London weaver, and Anne Third : son James. Witnesses : John Barclet, taylor ; James Youard, sergeant in Col. Bartley's Regiment and Leiftenant-Col. Montague's Company.

10. **Ferguson,** Alexander, and Jean Stevenson : son Alexander. Witnesses : John Murray, gardener ; William Forbes, sheriff officer in Aberdeen.

23. **Coupland,** Charles, merchant, and Margaret Forbes : son William. Witns. : William Simpson, William Coupland, merchants.

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Dec. 24. **Brembner,** William, merchant, and Jean Buchan: daughter Elizabeth. Witnesses: Dr. Andrew Skeene; Alexander Brembner, surgeon.

29. **Mackerron,** Peter, soldier in General Putney's Regiment, and Dorothy Thorlebey: bastard daughter Isobel. Witnesses: Andrew Aiken, barber; Alexander McBain, square wright.

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Jan. 14. **Reed,** William, weaver, and Jean Stevenson: son William. Witnesses: John Reed, George Donaldson, weavers in Aberdeen.

July 26. **Young,** Robert, indweler, and Marget Nicol——: son Allexr. Witnesses: Allexr. Paul, squair wright; Allexr. Mackleen, indweller.

Aug. 26. **Anderson,** Allexr., chapman, and Margrt Cha——: daughter Rachel. Witns.: William Chalmers, baker; George Johnston, printer.

30. **Blackhal,** William, indweler, and Mary Thom: son James. Witnesses: Dr. John Gordon of Pitlurg; Mr. John Gordon.

Sept. 9. **Clerk,** John, advocate, and Marjory Frazer: daughter Margarat. Witnesses: Baile George Simers in Torie; Gilbert Moir, merchant.

Oct. 1. **Forbes,** James, snuff grinder, and Jannet Ritche: daughter Christian. Witnesses: Andrew Berie; Allexr. Melis.

3. **Harrow,** David, flesher in Town of Brae, and Agniss Harrow: daughter Elspit.

5. **Anderson,** Patrick, of Bourtie, and Elizabath Ogilvy, his lady: son David, born the 26th of September, and baptized the 5 day of October by Mr. Thomas Mosses, minister of St. Paul's Chapel. Witnesses.: Mr. John Gordon; Dr. Allexr. Ross; George Gordon, merchant.

4. **Reid,** William, groom to Sir Aurthur Forbes, and Christian Moir: bastard son Charles. Witnesses: William Baird, silk dyer; Francis Gordon, shoemaker, who was undertaker.

Nov. 6. **Cuming,** John, colecctor, and Anna Cuming, his lady: daughter Jean. Witnesses: Dr. Gordon of Pitlurg; Baile William Mouat; Mr. Robert Skiner, land writer.

8. **Duguid,** George, merchant, and Isobel McImtosh: son Allexr. Witnesses: Allexr. Bannerman, Allexr. Millne, merchants.

12. **Clow,** Peeter, heal maker, and Elizabeth Angster: son James. Witnesses: James Edvard, merchant; William Benet, sadler.

1753.

Mar. 21. **Burnet,** James, cloathier, and Isobel Black, his spouse: son Joseph. Witnesses: Allexr. Bannerman, merchant; James Thomson of Port———.

April 5. **Leitch,** Jeames, leibairin man, and Isobel Renie, his spouse: daughter Christian. Witns.: Gilber and Allexr. Thom, boath farmers.

10. **Hay,** Allexr., indweler, and Margaret Stronach, his spouse: daughter Katherin. Witnesses: James Thomson of Port Lethen; Mr. Andrew Robertson of Pitmitons.

11. **Imley,** John, and Jean Duncan: bastard son Peeter. Witnesses: Margrt Mouat, undertaker, with the mother and Jean Temple.

13. **Leiper,** James, merchant, and Beatrix Catto, his spouse: daughter Jean, born ye 11th. Witnesses: Sir William Forbes; James Japp, merchant.

19. **Frazer,** John, haymaker at Cace End, and Isobel Michie: son George. Witnesses: Allexr. Lieth, farmer; James Berie, fidler.

30. **Montgomery,** George, farmer at Clerk Seet, and Heliene Midleton, his spouse: son Thomos (baptized by Mr. Thomos Moses, minister of St. Paul's Chapel). Witnesses: Thomos Midleton, gaurdner at Robslaw; Robert Montgomery, blacksmith at Grandum.

May 6. **Edward,** James, merchant, and Elspet Leslie, his spouse: son James. Witnesses: Peter Scoat, merchant; William Lenord, taylor.

13. **Wilkinson,** Ned, souldier in Colenil Buckle's Reigment, and Ann Wilkinson: daughter Mary. Witnesses; William Sim, taylor, undertaker; Ann Davidson.

20. **Marr,** John, laxfisher at Windehills in the land of Pitmuckston, and Isobel Cullie, his spouse: son John (Mr. Mosses). Witnesses: the congregation.

28. **Thomson,** Francis, wooling dyer, and Isobel Jameson, his spouse: daughter Elizabath. Witnesses: George Henderson, squair wrig; John Thomson, tydewaiter.

29. **Marr,** William, gaurdner at Guilkomston, and Ketherin McQuen, his spouse: son James. Witnesses: Mary Beetton and Elizabath McCardie.

31. **Milne,** Allexr., merchant, and Margaret Banerman, his lady: daughter Margarat. Witnesses: Allexr. Banerman, William Milne, merchants.

Robertson, Allexr., Veaver, and Elizabath Bell, his spouse: daughter Elizabath. Witnesses: William Leslie, merchant; Gilbert Robertson, taylor, who was undertaker for the child.

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June 2. **McAndrew,** James, horsehyrer, and Jean Donaldson, his spouse: son George. Witnesses: George Bartlet, farmer; George Donaldson.

3. **Charles,** James, taylor, and Elspit Wattson, his spouse: son John. Witnesses: John Reid, John Ravels, veavers.

8. **Forbes,** John, labouring man, and Rebeca Smith, his spouse: son John. Witns.: John Forbes, John Baxter, white fishers in Fitte.

12. **Simpson,** George, couper, and Euphia Donaldson, his spouse: daughter Jean. Witnesses: Dr. Donaldson; Allexr. Banerman.

13. **Still,** George, merchant, and Margarat Lays, his spouse: son George (Mr. Moses). Witnesses: Robert Smith, present; Francis Lays, designed.

June **Sangster,** John, labouring man at Casie End, and Ann Barron, his spouse: daughter Helien. Witnesses: Gilbert Thom, Allexr. Crombie, farmers at Beriehilick.

21. **Christie,** Allexr., journaman taylor, and Elspit Sharp, his spouse: daughter Helien. Witnesses: Allexr. Anderson, James Robertson, veavers in Aberdeen.

26. **Brebner,** William, merchant, and Jean Buchan, his spouse: twin sons, Charles and Alexander, baptized by Mr. Moses. Witnesses: Thomos Buchan of Auchmacoie, Dr. Allexr. Brebner, and Mr. John Gordon.

July 3. **Newman,** Francis, wool comber, and Isobel Forbes, his spouse: daughter Jean, baptized by Mr. Moses. Witnesses: James Fouler and John Lieth.

5. **Randil,** John, indweler, and Christian Sled, his spouse: son Archbald. Witnesses: Archbald Campbel and James Bruce, vintiners.

6. **Murgan,** George, indweler, and Isobel Murgan, his spouse: daughter Elspit. Witnesses: John Jaffery and John Midleton.

7. **Shepherd.** William, sclaiter, and Barbara Hunter, his spouse: daughter Ann. Witnesses: Peter Hunter and John Ritchie, burgers.

8. **Kirk-la,** George, hattmaker, and Briggate Kirlae, his spouse: daughter Ann, baptized by Mr. Moses. Witnesses: Patrick Leslie and John Farquhar, merchants; Allexr. Barclay, hattmaker.

9. **Spark,** Thomos, merchant, and Jean Cuming, his spouse: daughter Margarat. Witnesses: David Bartlet, advocate; Allexr. Gamock; Allexr. Cuming, sailor.

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April 1. **Ross,** Allexr., flesher, and Susana Johnston, his spouse: daughter Susana. Witnesses: Allexr. and George Proccters, fleshers.

4. **Skiner,** Robert, land survyer, and Betie Ogilvie, his lady: son John (Mr. Moses). Witnesses: John Rola, landwaiter: John Taylor, trades clerk.

Forbes, Allexr., of Lochermick, and Ann Brodie, his spouse: daughter Elizabeth. Witnesses: William Baird of Auchmedin: Allexr. Simpson of Concraig.

8. **Melven,** Allexr., indweler, and Agnis Douglas, his spouse: daughter Elspit (Mr. Moses). Witnesses: James Nivie, merchant; William Bur, wool comber.

15. **Innes,** Allexr., comisher clerk, and Ann Ross, his lady: daughter Jean. Witnesses: Dr. Allexr. Ross; Patrick Innes, veaver.

Cuming, John, colector, and Anna Cuming, his lady: son William. Witnesses: Baile William Mouatt; Robert Skiner, land surveyor.

20. **Jameson,** William, labouring man, and Margit Wishart: daughter Mary (Mr. Moses). Witnesses: John Willson, shoemaker; Andrew Walker, labouring man.

25. **Christie,** Allexr., labouring man, and Elspit Muray, his spouse: son John. Witnesses: John Coupland, barber; John Coupland, distiler.

May 16. **Watt,** John, stone cutter at woolman hill, and Jannet Makie, his spouse: daughter Jean. Witnesses: Isobel Willson, maid wife; Susana Yool.

19. **Gaven,** George, sclater, and Katherin Gall, his spouse: daughter Margarate (Mr. Moses). Witnesses: George Hecctor, mason; James Mill, labouring man.

Douglas, Francis, merchant, and Elizabath Auchterlownie, his spouse: daughter Ann. Witnesses: Dr. William Farquharson; James Abercrombie, watchmaker.

June 2. **Lieveingston,** Dr. Thomos, and Mary Robertson, his lady: daughter Jean. Witnesses: William Simpson, and Charles Coupland, merchants.

13. **Gregory,** Dr. John, and Lady Betie Forbes, his spouse: daughter Dorothia. Witnesses: D. James Gregory; Capitaine Allexr. Dundas.

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June 16. **Thomson,** James, taylor, and Margit Smith, his spouse: son David (Mr. Moses). Witnesses: James Milne, merchant; David Marr, merchant.

19. **Marr,** William, gaurdner at Gilkimston, and Katherin McQuen, his spouse: daughter Mary (Mr. Moses). Witnesses: Mary Beeton; Elizabath McCardie, maidwife.

25. **Buthlaw,** William, vintner, and Janett Elmslie: son James. Witnesses: Baillie James Black, Cafild, John Burnett, Mr. William Leslie, all merchants.

July 2. **Adam,** Allexr., gaurdner at Whitemyres, and Margit Crana, his spouse: son James. Witnesses: James Adam, gaurdner; James Milne, farmer.

4. **Shevis,** Thomas, gaurdner in the old Town, and Isobel Midleton, his spouse: daughter Margit. Witnesses: George Paul, burger; John Wallas, boath gaurdners.

14. **Molyson,** James, sailor, and Jannet Robertson, his spouse: daughter Leislia. Witnesses: James Robertson, burger, malster; John Young, bur—, malster.

17. **Mair,** John, merchant, and Margarat Cooper, his spouse: daughter Margarat (Mr. Moses). Witnesses: George Cooper, Allexr. Silver, and George Gordon, burgers.

21. **Walker,** Andrew, merchant, and Margit Smith, his spouse: daughter Marjory. Witnesses: John McKinze, Allexr. and James Milne, merchants.

28. **Carnegy,** Margit: bastard daughter Margit. Witnesses: Andrew Carnegy, undertaker, George Leslie, boath laboring men at Rotten holes in the parish of old Machar.

Hay, William, labouring man, and Jannet Smith, his spouse: son Allexr. Witnesses: Hugh Hay, journaman squair wright; Allexr. Donald, turn kay of ye Tolbooth.

McKinzie, Allexr., merchant, and Anna Allexander, his spouse: son Hary (Mr. Moses). Witnesses: Allexr. and Hary Pantons, and William Gray, merchants.

Aug. 7. **Kemp,** Allexr., wever, and Margat Watt, his spouse: daughter Mary. Witnesses: John Reid and William Slenson, burger wevers.

10. **Smith,** Robert, merchant in uper Angustown in parish of Peter Couter, and Jannet Moir, his spouse: daughter Agnis, baptised at Steen Gavel. Witnesses: Allexr. Walker and Robert Aberdeen, boath , in the same town and parish.

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Aug. 14. **Burnet,** James, merchant, and Isobel Black, his spouse: daughter Isobel. Witnesses: Dr. James Gordon of Pitlurg; Patrick Turnbul, merchant.

18. **Ried,** William, wever, and Jean Stevenson, his spouse: daughter Marjory (Mr. Moses). Witnesses: John Reid and William Stevenson, wevers.

21. **Hutcheson,** James, sailor, and Dorathia Forbes, his spouse: daughter Jean. Witns.: Allexr. Milne, sailor; Allexr. Forbes, indweler.

22. **Ogilvie,** John, meson, and Jean Forsyth, his spouse: son George. Witnesses: George Hall and George Nicol.

Hecctor, William, meson, and Jean Robertson, his spouse: daughter Jean. Witnesses: John and Allexr. Robertsons, mesons.

25. **Walker,** Robert, fidler, and Jannet Elmslie, his spouse: daughter Margory. Witnesses: George Mouat, merchant; Allexr. Mackdonald, musition.

31. **Reid,** Allexr., laxfisher at Auchen Yell, and Ann Harow, his spouse: son George. Witnesses: James Harrow and James Reid, boath lax fishers.

Sept. 15. **Couts,** Daniel, souldier in Buchlims Regment, and in Capetain Tumlison's Company, and Elizabath Forsyth, his spouse: son Daniel Witnesses: James Ross, indweler; William Paul.

16. **Coupland,** Charles, merchant, and Margarat Forbes, his spouse: son Georg. Witnesses: Dr. Thomos Liveingston; George Coupland, cooper.

20. **Sangster,** John, shoe-maker, and Anna Watt, his spouse: daughter Mary (Mr. Moses). Witnesses: Francis Gordon, burger shoemaker; John Adamson, journaman of Dto.

28. **Strachan,** Allexr., veaver at the Den Burn, and Jean Smith, his spouse: daughter Shusin. Witnesses: Robert Strachan, taylor; James Forbes, snuf grinder.

Oct. 6. **Paul,** Allexr., squair wright, and Jean Nicol, his spouse; son Allexr. Witnesses: James Williamson, flesher; Allexr. Couper, shoemaker.

Clerk, John, advocate, and Frazer, his spouse: son William. Witnesses: William Smith, taylor; William Nicol, writer.

8. **Brown,** John, souldier in Colenil Lighttons Reigment of foot, and Elisabath Browne, his spouse: son James (Mr. Moses). Witnesses: James Allan, sergent major: Joseph Egleston, drum magor of the said Reigment.

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Oct. 13. **Wyle,** Allexr., labouring man, and Rachel Affleeck, his spouse: son Andrew. Witnesses: John Affleck, farmer; George Derie, gaurdner.

Nov. 14. **Ogilvie,** George, meson, and Margit Wat, his spouse: daughter Christian. Witnesses: Allexr. Banerman, meson; Charles Meson, cloath selar at the Croass.

17. **Edward,** James, merchant, and Elspit Leslie, his spouse: daughter Margarat. Witnesses: William Lenord, taylor; Robert Morison, baker at Gilkumstown.

Ross, William, merchant, and Elizabath Mercer, his spouse; daughter Elizabath. Witnesses: James Chalmers, printer; John Allexander.

18. **Leiper,** James, merchant: daughter Phinetta. Witnesses: George Gordon, Rothnay, merchant; George Duncan, junr., ship-master.

19. **Lietch,** William, shoe-maker, and Jean Linsa, his spouse: daughter Jean. Witnesses: James Lietch, undertaker; William Paul.

21. **Linsa,** David, painter, and Jannet Lambertoun, his spouse: daughter Stirling Duncan. Witnesses: John Gill, brik layer; Allexr. Midleton, wright.

Dec. 15. **Christie,** Robert, merchant, and Helien Davidson, his spouse: daughter Marjory (Mr. Moses). Witnesses James Thomson, taylor; James Craig, meson.

17. **Eliots,** Joseph, barber, and Christian Jaffery, his spouse: son John Allexander. Witnesses: John French, advocate; Allexr. Grant, student.

29. **Busby,** James, hat maker, and Sara Busby, his spouse: daughter Ann (Mr. Moses). Witnesses: John Farquhar and Petter Leslie, merchants.

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Jan. 1. **Watt,** William, shoemaker, and May Nicol, his spouse: daughter Ann. Witnesses: John Aiken, cuper; James Murow, taylor.

6. **Cumming,** James, veaver, and Ann Lockert, his spouse: son Allexander (Mr. Thomas Moses). Witnesses: Allexr. Cuthbertson and John Christie, veaver, in Gordons Mill Factorie.

14. **Christie,** George, shoe maker, and Ann Swape, his spouse: son James (Mr. Moses). Witnesses: James and Allexr. Christies, hyrers.

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Jan 16. **Smith,** John, and Elspit McPherson: bastard son James. Witnesses: William Freman, boat man, undertaker for the child; William Paul.

Mouat, Daniel, merchant, and Margit Stewart, his spouse: son William. Witnesses: Provest William Mouat; John Mouat, merchant.

18. **Shand,** Robert, horse-hyrer, and Beatrix Kynoch, his spouse: daughter Isobel. Witnesses: George Duncan and Thomas Kynoch, horse hyrers.

21. **Smith,** Robert, merchant, and Isobel Coupland, his spouse: son Robert. Witnesses: William and John Couplands; Allexr. and James Smith, merchants. The said child was born the 20th.

Feb. 6. **Laing,** John, indweler, and Christian Milln, his spouse: daughter Jean. Witnesses. John Gil, sacrest; William Blackhall, vintiner.

8. **Crombie,** Peter, journaman wright, and Jean Paterson, his spouse: daughter Bathia (Mr. Moses). Witnesses: William Martin and Arthur Couts, wrights.

9. **Fides,** William, wooling dyer in old Aberdeen, and Margit Gordon, his spouse: daughter Elizabath. Witnesses: Francis Gordon, shoemaker; James Michie, squair wright.

15. **Davidson.** Allexr. flax-dreser, and Margt Smith, his spouse: son William. Witnesses: William Lenord, taylor; Andrew Davids, gaurdner.

18. **Milne,** Allexr. merchant, and Margarat Banerman, his spouse: son William. Witnesses. Mr. Allexr. Banerman and William Milne, merchants; Dr. Farquharson.

Mar. 1. **Erskine,** Thomos, sailer, and Margit Duncan, his spouse: son James. Witnesses: John Mair, gaurdner, and William Duncan, boath indwelers.

6. **Gray,** William, merchant, and Sophia Hunter, his spouse: son John. Witnesses: Andrew Tait, Organist: John Cooper, merchant.

Elphinston, James, ship master, and Jean Garioch, his spouse: daughter Jean. Witnesses: John Elphinston, merchant; William Thom, advocate.

7. **Duncan,** George, ship master, and Jean Catto, his spouse: daughter Jean. Witnesses: William Durward, merchant; Allexr. Catto, excise waiter.

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Mar. 19. **Montgomery,** George, farmer, and Helen Midleton, his spouse: son Robert. Witnesses: Robert Montgomery, blacksmith at Grandum; Robert Midleton, son to Thomos Midleton, gaurdner at Robslaw.

26. **Green,** William, squair wright, and Jean Dolass, his spouse: daughter Elizabath. Witnesses: William Leslie, merchant; Allexr. Dolas, squair wright.

Sim, Allexr. horse-hyrer, and Margit Kieth, his spouse: twin daughters, Margit and Elspit (Mr. Moses). Witnesses: John Ronald, meson; William Michie, stabler.

April 27. **Yewin,** John, journaman squair wright, and Mary Angus, his spouse: son Charles. Witnesses: Charles Smart, squair wright; Peter Anderson, taylor, etc.

Mackfarlin, Capetain James, and Jean Forbes, his lady: son Duncan. Undertakers and witnesses: Sir Allexr. Forbes of Foverin; Capetain Duncan Mackfarlin, etc.

May 1. **Bruce,** Thomos, stabler, and Isobel Robertson, his spouse: daughter Margit. Witnesses: John Robertson and James Robertson, veavers in the Coledge Bounds of old Machar parish.

14. **Liveingston,** Dr. Thomos, and Mary Robertson, his lady: daughter Lilius. Witnesses: Provest Allexr. Liveingston of Countes-wals; and James Cuming of Kiniermint.

15. **Meson,** Charles, cloath seler at the Cross of Aberdeen, and Jean Meson, his spouse: daughter Jean. Witnesses: John Meston, littster; John Leslie, blacksmith, boath at the steps of Gilcumston.

15. **Ferguson,** Allexr., indweler, and Jean Steenson, his spouse: son John. Witnesses: George Steenson and John Murow, gaurdners.

20. **Anderson,** Allexr. veaver, and Helien Sharp, his spouse: daughter Isobel. Witnesses: William Steenson, veaver; Allexr. Christie, taylor.

28. **Ross,** Allexr., flesher, and Susana Johnston, his spouse: son John. Witnesses: James Legg, malster; William Johnston, taylor.

June 1. **Allexander,** Allexander, merchant, and Rachel Chalmers, his spouse: son

2. **Durward,** John, meson, and Magdalin Adams, his spouse: son John (Mr. Moses). Witnesses: John Turnbull, ; John Cooper, squair wright.

3. **Innes,** Allexr., comisar clerk, and Anna Ross, his lady: daughter Anna. Witnesses: Dr. Allexr. Ross; William Frazer, younger of Memse; and Patrick Ines, vever.

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June 8. **Touch,** Hary, veaver, and Christian Baxter, his spouse : son Moses (Mr. Moses). Witns. : John Smith, shoemaker ; Allexr. Wright, barber.

10. **Marr,** William, gaurdner at the Lint Mill of Gilcumston, and Katherine Mckquen, his spouse : daughter Margit. Witnesses : James Marr, flesher ; John Willson, shoemaker.

20. **Brebner.** William, merchant, and Jean Buchan, his spouse : . Witnesses :

July 9. **Cooper,** James, shoemaker in the Spitil, and Jean Mearns, his spouse : son Robert. Witnesses : Robert Mearns, taylor in Inverury ; John Mitchel, shoemaker

16. **Thom,** John, indweler, and Helien Ronald, his spouse : son James (Mr. Moses). Witns. : James Mill, barber; John Ronald, meson.

18. **Cuming,** Colecetor John, and Anna Cuming, his lady : son Ghrame. Witnesses : Hary and Udnay Cumings.

27. **Mill,** John, sailor, and Elspit Thomson, his spouse : daughter Elspit. Witnesses : David Longlands, undertaker along with the mother ; and James Mill, sailor.

Aug. 7. **Urquhart,** William, Esqr., of Meldrum, and Anna Scoat, his lady : son William (Mr. Moses). Witns. : Dr. Andrew Skeen and John Forbes.

8. **Robertson,** James, veaver in the Coledg Bounds ; and Jean Robertson, his spouse : son Thomos. Witnesses : Thomos Volum, veaver in the Coledge Bounds ; Thomos Bruce, stabler.

9. **White,** Patrick, hukemaker, and Margit Clearihue : son Patrick (Mr. Moses). Witnesses :

10. **Harrow,** David, flesher in town of Brae, and Agnis Harrow, his spouse : son Allexr. Witnesses : James and John Harrows, lax fishers.

Blackhall, William, indweler, and Mary Thom, his spouse : son John. Witnesses : John Gib, sacrest ; John Laing.

15. **Crukshank,** Robert, and Agnis Robertson : bastard daughter Margarat (Mr. Moses). Witnesses : Christian Robertson.

Coupland, James, gaurdner at Woolmanhill, and Ann Sangster, his spouse : daughter Jean (Mr. Moses). Witnesses : Hary Smith and Ann Watt.

24. **Forbes,** James, snuf grinder, and Jannet Ritchie, his spouse : son William. Witnesses : James Nivie, merchant ; John Davidson, gaurdner in School hill.

31. **Reid,** Allexr., lax fisher, and Ann Harrow, his spouse : son James (Mr. Moses). Witns. : Robert Keith, gaurner ; James Reid, laxfisher.

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Sept. 1. **Wood,** John, sailor, and Isobel Catto, his spouse: daughter Margarat (Mr. Moses). Witnesses: Allexr. Craige, undertaker; Barbara Millne.

7. **Burnet,** James, merchant, and Isobel Black, his spouse: son Adam (Mr. Moses). Witnesses: Patrick Turnbul, merchant; Dr. William Farquharson.

8. **Reid,** William, labouring man, and Elizabath Shaw, his spouse: son Jonathin. Witnesses: Peter Christie, shoemaker; George Fyfe, labouring man.

14. **Laughton,** James, carpender, and Margit Kairns: bastard son James (Mr. Moses). Witnesses: George Colie, undertaker; Robert Reid, meson, boath indweler.

17. **Morison,** Robert, blacksmith in Gilkumston, and Jannet Duncan, his spouse: daughter Ann. Witnesses: William Marr, gaurdner; John Coupland, malster, boath at the Lint Mills. (Mr. Moses).

21. **Hill,** Herculis, wool comber, and Christian McCor, his spouse: son Hercules (Mr. Moses). Witnesses: John Nicol, woolin comber; John Donald, gaurdner.

25. **Linsa,** William, indweler, and Jean Sim, his spouse: daughter Mary (Mr. Moses). Witnesses: William Leitch, shoemaker; Francis Newman, woolin comber; William Mitchell, printer.

Oct. 1. **Hutchison,** James, sailor, and Dorathia Forbes, his spouse: son James (Mr. Moses). Witnesses: James Pierie; Alexander Forbes, indweler.

12. **McKinzie,** Allexr., merchant, and Anne Allexr, his spouse: son Allexander (Mr. Moses). Witns.: William and Allexr. Grays, merchants.

18. **Mackandrew,** James, horse hyrer, and Jean Donaldson, his spouse: son Allexr. Witnesses: Allexr. Kairns at Lonehead; Allexr. Gordon, merchant.

23. **Austin,** John, sailor, and Rachel Ferier, his spouse: daughter Rachel (Mr. Moses). Witnesses: Allexr. Ferguson, sailor; Allexr. Kemp, vever

26. **Mathew,** George, meson, and Elspit Thom: twin sons George and Francis. Witnesses: John Gib, sacrest; John Gill, meson.

Burnet, George, and Christian Kieth, his spouse: son Andrew (Mr. Moses). Witns.: Dr. Andrew Burnet; George Cooper, goldsmith.

Shepherd, Thomos, cooper, and Jean Baxter, his spouse: son Aurthur. Witns.: Adam Baxter, cooper; William Durward, merchant.

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Oct. 27. **Ross,** Hugh, servant to Ernich, and Margit Shinie, his spouse: son Thomos. Witnesses: Thomos Forbes and John Nornie, indwelers.

Nov. 8. **Rose,** Robert, sailor, and Ann Catto: son John. Witnesses: Alexander Donald, vintner; William Paul, indweller.

Harrow, John, lax fisher upon Dee watter in the Parish of old Machar, and Elspit Harow, his spouse: son Allexr. Witnesses: Dr. Allexr. Brebner; Allexr. Burnet, maltster.

12. **White,** Samuel, soildier in Lord Robert Maners Reigment and in Capetaine Forbes Company, and Helien Whyte, his spouse: son James (Mr. Moses). Witns.: Samuel Holeday and Daniel Mitchel, souldiers.

22. **Marr,** James, lax fisher in Kinkorth in parish of Nigg, and Elizabath Ried, his spouse: son John. Witnesses: John and Allexr. Marrs, lax-fishers.

Dec. 7. **Marr,** John, veaver, and Mary Robertson, his spouse: daughter Margit. Witnesses: John Ried and James Robertson, veavers.

14. **Dasoun,** James, journaman squair wright, and Margit Duncan, his spouse: daughter Isobel. Witnesses: Robert Mettland and John Milne.

27. **Linsa,** Allexr., at Gilumston, and Barbara Emslie, his spouse: son William. Witnesses: William Marr and Andrew Been.

Lietch, James, at Casie End, and Isobel Renie, his spouse: son John. Witnesses: Allexr. Thom and Allexr. Crombie.

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Jan. 1. **Coachrin,** Thomos, painter, and Jannet Ried: son Petter. Witnesses: Peter Ried, meson: Allexr. Midleton, squair wright.

4. **Chese,** Thomos, coper smith, and Jannet Davidson, his spouse: son George (Mr. Moses). Witnesses: George Forbes Richard, merchant.

6. **Coopland,** Charles, merchant, and Margit Forbes, his spouse: son Thomos. Witnesses: Dr. Thomos Livcingston and William Durward.

10. **Burthla,** William, vintner, and Janet Elmslie, his spouse: son William. Witnesses: William Leslie and William Kelie, burgers.

25. **Lumsden,** Thomos, goldsmith, and Katherin King, his spouse: daughter Katherin. Witnesses: George Still and Robert Smith, merchants.

Feb. 1. **Hecctor,** John, lax fisher at Keticks Mill and Ann Lunde, his spouse: daughter Jean, baptized in Chaple Sundays forenoon.

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Feb. 18. **Simpson,** John, sclatter, and Barbara Forbes: son John. Witnesses: Robert Donald, merchant; John Anderson, wright, boath liveing at Gilkumston.

21. **Marr,** John, lax fisher, and Isobel Culie, his spouse: daughter Jean. Witnesses: John Harrow and James Marr, lax fishers on Dee.

22. **Hecctor** William, pyper, and Elizabath Dolass, his spouse: daughter Elspit. Witnesses: Robert Dolass and James Hogg.

23. **Chappell,** Samuel, litster to Gordons Mills Company, and Margit Stevenson, his spouse: daughter Helien. Witnesses: John Minzies and Allexr. Smith, merchants.

25. **Touch,** William, at the Sa Mill, labouring man, and Helien Culie, his spouse: son James. Witns.: James Culie and Allexr. Mill.

Mar. 7. **Hutchon,** John, labouring man in parish of Newhils, and Jean Crukshank, his spouse: daughter Mary, baptized upon Sunday in ye Chaple.

8. **Killgour,** Robert, tobaconist, and Margit Laing, his spouse: son Allexr. Witnesses: Daniel Cargil and Allexr. Glenie, merchants.

Donald, Allexr., barber, and Jean Ried, his spouse: son John. Witnesses: John Harrow and George Renie, boath barbers.

10. **Milne,** Allexr., merchant, and Margarat Banerman, his spouse: son Patrick. Witnesses: Patrick Turnbul and Patrick Banerman, merchants.

14. **Millne,** John, meson, and Isobel Bass, his spouse: daughter Isobel (Mr. Moses). Witnesses: George Melven, gaurdner; James Rhind, meson.

20. **Fides,** William, litster at Powes Bridge, and Margit Gordon, his spouse: son Francis. Witnesses: Francis Gordon, shoemaker; George Finlater; James Michie.

24. **Dothie,** William, merchant, and Helien Sim: bastard son William. Witnesses: James Grant; George Gaven, sclater.

April 4. **Marchal,** William, journaman wright, and Jannet Troup, his spouse: son William. Witnesses: William Marshal, wright; William Malcome, taylor at ye windmill Brae.

12. **Ree,** George, upholsterer, and Jannet Nicol, his spouse: daughter Margory (Mr. Moses). Witnesses: William Lenoard, taylor; John Cooper, wright.

Fitsgerald, William, younger, barber, and Barbara Robertson, his spouse: son William. Witnesses: George Mouat, merchant; William FitsGerald, elder, barber.

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April 17. **Gordon,** George, younger, merchant, and Mary Buchan, his lady: son James. Witns.: James Burnet, merchant; James Duff, advocate.

22. **Mitchel,** Robert, gaurdner, and Jean Fettis, his spouse: son John (Mr. Moses). Witnesses: John Mearns, watch maker; John Young, malster.

Gordon, Walter, ship master, and Isobel Greig, his spouse: son Ralph. Witnesses: William Burnet, advocate; James Crukshank, merchant.

24. **Smith,** John, black smith, and Marjory Mill, his spouse: son John. Witnesses: Allexr. Crukshank, merchant; John Swap.

29. **Thomson,** Robert, farmer, and Jean Christie, his spouse: son Robert. Witnesses: Robert Duncan, farmer; Robert Dyce, merchant.

May 7. **Melvel,** George, gaurdner, and Margit Bass, his spouse: daughter Isobel (Mr. Moses). Witnesses: John Melvel and William Somers, gaurdners.

27. **Christie,** John, veaver, and Elizabath Ogilve, his spouse: son James (Mr. Moses). Witnesses: Allexr. Culbertson, foreman to Gordons Mill facctory; William Ogilvie, taylor.

June 3. **Duf,** James, advocate, and Helien Skeen, his lady: daughter Helien. Witns.: Mr. Duff of Premnay and Sir Robert Abercrombie.

14. **Charles,** James, taylor, and Elspit Wattson, his spouse: daughter Isobel. Witnesses: John Reid, veaver; George Davidson, veaver.

20. **Hecctor,** William, meson, and Jean Robertson, his spouse: son James. Witnesses: James Hecctor and James Duncan, boath mesons.

27 **Grant,** Andrew, stoking veaver, and Christian Robertson: bastard daughter Clementina Grant. Witnesses: James Simpson, cloath merchant.

July 4. **Gray,** William, merchant, and Sophia Hunter, his spouse: son George. Witnesses: George Gordon, younger, and John Cooper, merchants.

10. **McFarling,** Capetain James, and Jean Forbes, his lady; son Allexr. Witnesses: Allexr. Bannerman, merchant: Dr. Andrew and David Skeens, phisitions.

11. **Walker,** Andrew, merchant, and Margit Smith, his spouse: daughter Ann. Witnesses: John McKinzie and John Minzies, boath merchants.

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July 21. **Legtertwood,** James, of Skelmuir, decest, and Agniss Dyce, his lady: son Allexr. Witnesses: Allexr. Dycess, senior and junior, merchants.

29. **Duncan,** John, ostler, and Jean Metland, his spouse: son Robert. Witnesses: Robert Metland, saer of wood; George Leslie, squair wright.

Aug. 1. **Robertson,** Allexr., veaver, and Elizabath Robertson, his spouse: son Robert. Witnesses: Robert Robertson, town serjent, undertaker; Robert Duncan, merchant.

2. **Sangster,** John, souldier, and Ann Watt, his spouse: son William (Mr. Moses). Witnesses: William Sangster, shoe maker; William Paul, &c.

5. **Mouat,** Daniel, merchant, and Margit Stewart, his spouse: son Daniel (Mr. Moses). Witnesses: John Mouat, merchant; John Ferier, book binder.

6. **McGie,** John, vintiner, and Elizabath Bennet, his spouse: son Middleton. Witnesses: Charles Smart, squair wright; John Lieth, barber.

7. **McClerin,** Peter, veaver, and Margit Duncan, his spouse: son William (Mr. Moses). Witnesses: William Duncan, veaver; William Innes, belman.

15. **Christie,** Allexr., journaman taylor, and Elspit Sharp, his spouse: son John. Witnesses: Daniel White, huker; Allexr. Anderdson, veaver.

20. **Christie,** George, shoe-maker, and Ann Swap, his spouse: son Robert (Mr. Moses). Witnesses: Allexr. and James Christes, boath farmers at the Galegathead.

21. **Baxter,** William, journaman taylor, and Elspit Thomson, his spouse: daughter Margit (Mr. Moses). Witnesses: John Ronald, junior, meson; John Black, meson.

29. **Hoom,** Edward, distiler at Geulkimston, and Mary Lauder, his spouse: son Patrik Duff. Witnesses: William Clerk, maltman at the distillerie; James Bruce, Edinbrough carrier.

Sept. 3. **Liveingston,** Dr. Thomos, and Mary Robertson, his lady: son Allexr. Witnesses: Provest Allexr. Liveingston, Esqur. of Cowentiswals; Dr. Allexr. Ross, &c.

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Sept. 4. **Innes,** Allexr., comisar clerk, and Ann Ross, his lady: daughter Isabel (Mr. Moses). Witnesses: Dr. Allexr. Ross; William **Frazer,** younger, of Memse; Patrick Innes, veaver.

Strachan, Allexr., veaver, and Jean Smith, his spouse: daughter Jean. Witnesses: John Main and James Grant.

19. **Aiken,** James, labouring man, and Jean Kila, his spouse: son Patrick, baptized in St. Paul's Chapel upon Sunday.

30. **Paul,** Allexr., squair wright, and Jean Nicol, his spouse: daughter Isobel. Witns.: George Linton, farmer; James Anderson, merchant.

Oct. 10. **Kieth,** Robert, lax-fisher at Millofpitfodils, and Christian Forbes, his spouse: son Allexander, baptized in Chapel upon Sunday.

19. **Laing,** John, indweler, and Christian Milne, his spouse: son David (Mr. Moses). Witnesses: John Gib, sacrest; William **Blackhal,** vintiner.

21. **Smith,** Robert, merchant in Uper Anguston in the Parish of Peeter Cuter, and Jannet Mar, his spouse: daughter Rebeca, baptized at Steen Gavel by Mr. Moses. Witnesses: William Paul and Robert Aberdeen.

Duncan, George, ship master, and Jean Catto, his spouse: son Allexander (Mr. Moses). Witnesses: Allexr. Millne and William Durward, boath merchants.

23. **Dobie,** William, and Elizabath Gray: bastard son William (Mr. Moses). Witnesses: John Leslie, blacksmith; James Cheser, farmer; John Gray undertaker.

31. **Frazer,** John, stay maker at Casse End, and Isobel Minro, his spouse: son David, baptized in Chapel upon Sunday.

Ogilvie, William, merchant, and Mary Thomson, his spouse: son James Boyd. Witns.: James Burnet, merchant; Dr. Andrew Skeen.

Nov. 1. **Farquhar,** James, journaman shoemaker, and Katherin Dyce, his spouse: son John. Witnesses: Robert Dyce, merchant; James Haket, shoemaker.

8. **Ried,** William, vever, and Jean Steenson, his spouse: son John (Mr. Moses). Witnesses: John Ried and James Robertson, vevers.

9. **Fyfe,** George, labouring man, and Euphia Erchie, his spouse: daughter Helien. Witnesses: Allexr. Buman, saer of wood; John Ritche, vever.

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Nov. 15. **Douglas,** Fransis, merchant, and Elizabath Auchterlownie, his spouse: daughter Bathia (Mr. Moses). Witnesses William Muray and John Makinzie, merchants.

19. **Gayle,** John, indweler, and Isobel Ross, his spouse: daughter Mary (Mr. Moses). Witnesses: Margite Nicol and Jean Nieper.

22. **Anderson,** William, merchant, and Elizabath Stephen, his spouse: son Charles. Witnesses: James Dun, master of the Gramer School; John Gill, meson.

28. **Horn,** George, and Mary Sutherland: bastard daughter Easter, baptized in Chapel upon Sunday.

Dec. 1. **Smith,** Thomos, journaman wright, and Christan Angus, his spouse: daughter Elizabath. Witnesses: Peter Anderson and Allexr. Logan, indwelers.

Anderson, Allexr., veaver, and Helien Sharp, his spouse: son James. Witnesses: Allexr. Christie, taylor; John Ried, veaver.

5. **Burnet,** James, merchant, and Isobel Black, his spouse: twin sons Allexander and Isaac (Mr. Moses). Witnesses: Mr. Bannerman, merchant, & Portlethen.

18. **Erskine,** Thomos, sailor, and Margit Duncan, his spouse: daughter Elizabath. Witnesses: Allexr. Maver, sailor; Andrew Mill, workman.

24. **Coupland,** George, cooper, and Margaret Strachan, his spouse: son John. Witnesses: Deen of Gild William Coupland; William Strachan, blacksmith there.

Davidson, Allexr., flax dresser, and Margit Smith, his spouse: daughter Jannet. Witnesses: Andrew Davidson, gaurdner; Adam Duncan, flax dresser.

31. **Silver,** William, sailor, and Ann Dagrils: bastard daughter Ann. Witnesses: James Crukshank, undertaker; William Paul.

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Jan. 4. **Edward,** James, merchant, and Elspit Leslie, his spouse: daughter Christan (Mr. Moses). Witnesses: Patrick Leslie, merchant; William Leanord, taylor.

22. **Snawe,** John, sailor, and Elspit Strachan, bastard daughter Christian. Witnesses: John Slewin, shoe-maker, undertaker; William Paul.

23. **Chisim,** Mathow, indweler, and Jannet Ried, his spouse: daughter Jean. Witns.: Gilbert Smith, sclater; James Muray, taylor.

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Jan. 31. **Duncan,** James, merchant at Lonehead, and Margit Gaurn, his spouse: son Allexr. Witnesses: Allexr. Dyce, merchant; Allexr. Kairns, farmer at Lone head.

Feb. 5. **Dyce,** John, merchant, and Christian Ross, his spouse: daughter Christian. Witnesses: Allexr. Dyces, senior and junior, merchants.

14. **Eliots,** Joseph, barber, and Christian Jaffery, his spouse: daughter Sarah. Witnesses: George Renie, merchant; George Henderson, wright.

17. **Mattias,** George, meson, and Elspit Thom, his spouse: daughter Mary. Witnesses: Mr. Thomas Smith at Tiledronshill; John Gibb, sacrest of the Marshal Coledge.

Mar. 16. **Ross,** Dr. Allexr. and Helien Midleton, his lady: daughter Diana. Witnesses: Mr. Midleton of Sitton and Mr. Katherine Midleton.

17. **Brow,** William, lax-fisher at the Brigg of Done, and Mary Jaffery, his spouse: daughter Agnis. Witnesses: Allexr. Sadler, lax-fisher; Thomos Henderson, shoe-maker.

23. **Abercrombie,** James, merchant, and Betie Gordon, his spouse: son Charles. Witnesses: John Gordon Cuming of Pitlurg, Esq.; George Turner, Sheriff Clerk of Aberdeen.

April 3. **Shevis,** Thomos, gaurdner, and Isobel Midleton, his spouse: son Thomos. Witnesses: Thomos Moriss, squair wright; James Allan, gaurdner.

14. **Urquhart,** William, Esqr. of Meldrum, and Ann Scoat, his lady: daughter Ann (Mr. Moses). Witnesses: Mr. James Dunn, master of the Gramer School; Balie James Logan.

17. **Gaven,** George, sclater, and Katherin Gall, his spouse: son Allexr. (Mr. Moses). Witnesses: John Jamesson and Allexr. Brown.

20. **Shand,** Robert, horse-hyrer, and Beatrix Kynoch, his spouse: daughter Jean (Mr. Moses). Witnesses: George Duncan, farmer; Thomas Kynoch, horse-hyrer.

King, John, journaman taylor, and Jean Chalmers, his spouse: daughter Elizabath (Mr. Moses). Witnesses: John Lieth, barber; William Smith, taylor.

22. **Cuming,** Collector John, and Anna Cuming, his lady: daughter Thomos Benigna. Witnesses: Mrs. Rhind Innes and William Paul.

24. **Touch,** William, labouring man, and Helien Culie, his spouse: son John, baptized in Chapel upon Sunday.

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April 24. **M'kinzie,** Allexr., merchant, and Ann Allexander, his spouse: son John (Mr. Moses). Witnesses: John Binne and William Gray, merchants.

28. **Moir,** Allexr., shoemaker, and Ann Volum, his spouse: son Thomos (Mr. Moses). Witnesses: Thomos Volum, veaver; William Volum, veaver.

May 8. **Touch,** Hary, veaver, and Christian Baxter, his spouse: son Hary (Mr. Moses). Witnesses: Thomos Ferguson, squair wright; Allexr. Touch, gaurdner.

Milne, Allexr., merchant, and Margarat Bannerman, his spouse: son Allexr. (Mr. Moses). Witnesses:

Ogilvie, John, meson, and Jean Forsyth, his spouse: son Peeter (Mr. Moses). Witnesses: William Sangster and William Paul.

15. **Arburthnet,** James, veaver at the lint Mill, and Ann Third, his spouse: son Robert (Mr. Moses). Witnesses: John Jack, veaver; John Hendre, dyster.

23. **Adam,** Allexr., gaurdner at whitemyres, and Margit Crana, his spouse: daughter Margit (Mr. Moses). Witnesses: George Simpson, cooper; John Garvek, gaurdner at Hisle-head.

June 1. **Milne,** James, sailor, and Mary Murgan, his spouse: son Donaldson (Mr. Moses). Witnesses: Donaldson Simpson and Allexr. Bour, malster.

5. **Dasson,** Andrew, meson at Gilkuimston, and Isobel Johnston, his spouse: daughter Helien (Mr. Moses). Witnesses: William Ritche, squair wright; James Barron, wright.

10. **Peacok,** Francis, dancing master, and Helien Forbes, his spouse: daughter Jannet (Mr. Moses). Witnesses: Dr. John Gregory and James Cuming, Esqr. of Breda.

14. **Smith,** Robert, merchant, and Isobel Copland, his spouse: daughter Isobel (Mr. Moses). Witnesses: John Copland; James Smith, merchant.

16. **Gregory,** Dr. John, Dr. to the Kings Coledg, and Betie Forbes, his lady: daughter Elizabath (Mr. Moses). Witnesses: Mr. Thomos Gordon, humanist; Lady Douger Forbes.

23. **Sim,** Allexr., horse-hyrer, and Margit Kieth, his spouse: son Robert (Mr. Moses). Witns.: George Linton, farmer; Robert Adam.

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June 25. **Fides,** William, litster, and Margit Gordon, his spouse: daughter Helien (Mr. Moses). Witnesses: Francis Gordon, shoemaker; James Michie, squair wright.

26. **Walker,** Robert, fidler, and Jannet Elmslie, his spouse: son Francis (Mr. Moses). Witns.: John Peacok; John Gedess, musicion.

Been, John, farmer, and Margit Taylor: bastard daughter Ann. Witnesses: Allexr. and George Taylors.

July . **Ferguson,** Allexr., indweler, and Jean Steenson, his spouse: daughter Mary. Witnesses: George Steenson and John Muray, boath gaurdners.

10. **Yewin,** John, journaman wright, and Mary Angus, his spouse: daughter Ann. Witnesses: Charles Smart, squair wright; Thomos Smith, journaman squair wright.

15. **Marchal,** Robert, and Isobel Hendry: bastard son Robert. Witnesses: James Mcquerie, undertaker; William Paul.

19. **Wood,** Thomos, serjent in Lord George Beawclarks Reigment of foot, and Hanna Wood, his spouse: son John. Witnesses: William Lofts and Leanord Jaks, serjants in the said Company and Reigment.

Farquharsone, Dr. William, and Souper, his lady: son Hary. Witnesses: .

29. **Mill,** James, sailor, and Margit Hervie, his spouse: daughter Margit. Witnesses: William Ross, maltster; William Couts, boatman in Tory.

31. **Still,** John, merchant, and Jean Smith, his spouse: son Allexander. Witnesses: Allexr. Still in Midleton; Allexr. Smith, merchant, junior.

Aug. 1. **Montgomery,** George, farmer at Damhead of Gilumston, and Helien Midleton, his spouse: daughter Margit. Witnesses: Thomos Midleton, gaurdner at Robslaw; Robert Montgomery, blacksmith at Grandum.

Mcgregor, John, souldier in Lord George Beauclarks second Battalion of foot and in Capetain Sharps Company, and Katherin Gordon, his spouse: son James. Witnesses: Thomos Norman, serjent; James Mcfarlin, souldier in the said Company.

10. **Williamson,** James, farmer in Easter Ardo, and Jannet Mconichie, his spouse: daughter Agnis. Witnesses: William Milne and Daniel Mouat, merchants; John Fierier.

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Aug. 14. **Spring,** William, souldier in Lord George Beauclarks Second Battalion of foot, and Dorathia Thirlby, his spouse: son Allexand. Witnesses: Allexr. Mcbain, wright; Allexr. Spring, taylor.

17. **Rhind,** John, cooper, and John Cuming, his spouse: son John. Witns.: Udne Cuming and William Paul; Jannet Hutchon, undertaker.

26. **Hutchon,** James, sailor, and Dorathia Forbes, his spouse: daughter Elizabath. Witnesses: John Laing and James Meinis, whell wright.

28. **Ree,** George, upholsterer, and Jannet Nicol, his spouse: daughter Helien. Witnesses: William Green and John Cristal, squair wrights.

29. **Nicol,** William, stone cutter, and Ann Thomson, his spouse: son Thomos. Witnesses: Andrew Henderson and Duncan Anderson.

White, Daniel, huker, and Agnis Sharp, his spouse: son James. Witnesses: James Meston, merchant; James Lowrenston, maltster.

Sept. 3. **Robertson,** James, veaver in the Spittil, and Jean Robertson, his spouse: daughter Jean. Witns.: John Robertsons, elder and younger.

4. **Robertson,** John, weaver, and Violet Gray, his spouse: daughter Ann. Witnesses: David Shaw and William Paul.

17. **Cooper,** James, shoe-maker in the Spitil, and Jean Mearns, his spouse: daughter Margit. Witnesses: Allexr. Catto and James Forbes, shoe-makers.

24. **Harow,** David, flesher in Town of Brae, and Agnis Harrow, his spouse: daughter Jannet. Witnesses: James Harrow and George Harrow, laxfishers.

25. **Midleton,** Allexr., squair wright, and Elizabath Innes, his spouse: son Robert. Witnesses: Robert Midleton, gaurdner; Robert Dollas, squair wright.

Oct. 6. **Fordyce,** John, of Ardoe, and Agnis Irvine, his spouse: son George, born September 30th. Witnesses: Charles Irvine of Cults and Mr. David Minzies of Pitfoddels.

Bruce, Thomos, stabler, and Margit Robertson, his spouse: daughter Mary. Witnesses: George Bruce, shore waiter; John Robertson, veaver in ye Coledg Bounds.

16. **Hay,** William, labouring man, and Jannet Smith, his spouse: son Hue. Witnesses: Hue Hay, squair wright; Allexr. Donald, indweler.

Forbes, Peter, indweler, and Margit Henderson, his spouse: daughter Margit. Witnesses: John Gib, sacrest; George Bruce, shore waiter.

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Oct. 31. **Coupland,** James, souldier in General Lightons Reigment and in Capetain Pains Company, and Ann Sangster, his spouse: son Adam. Witnesses: Thomos Coupland and William Sangster.

Nov. 13. **Coachrin,** Thomos, painter, and Jannet Ried, his spouse: daughter Isobel. Witnesses: Peter Ried, meson; Allexr. Midleton, squair wright.

Lumsdeen, Thomos, goldsmith, and Katherin Lumsden, his spouse: daughter Isobel. Witnesses: Benjaman Lumsden, goldsmith; Robert Smith, merchant.

22. **Innes,** Allexr., comishar clerk, and Ann Ross, his lady: daughter Barbara. Witnesses: Dr. Allexr. Ross; William Frazer, younger of Memse; Peter Innes, veaver.

29. **Auld,** James, baker, and Isobel Stott, his spouse: daughter Marjory, baptized by Mr. James Radoch, minister of St. Paul's Chapel. Witnesses: Gilbert and James Smiths, sclatters.[1]

Dec. 8. **Masson,** Robert, cloath merchant, and Isobel Bruce, his spouse: son John, born the 7th, baptized in Chapel.

10. **Gilespie,** William, souldier in General Lightons Reigment of foot and in the second betalion in Capetain Rogers Company, and Jannet Crukshank, his spouse: son George, born the 2d. Witnesses: George Gilespie, undertaker; David Crukshank.

White, Peter, hook maker, and Margit Clerihue, his spouse: daughter Ann (Mr. Rudoch). Witnesses: Robert Memis, whelwright; Robert Wright, shoemaker.

19. **Gordon,** George. merchant, and Mary Buchen, his lady: son John, born the 13th. Witnesses: Mr. Ramse of Barrow; John Gordon of Craig.

21. **Hunter,** George, lax-fisher in Midlet of Pitfudils, and Margit Duncan, his spouse: daughter Christian. Witnesses: William Troup in Templ; Allexr. Still in Midleton.

22. **Ross,** Allexr., merchant, and Jean Irvine, his spouse: son Allexr. Witnesses: Dr. Andrew Burnet; Francis Gordon, shoe-maker.

23. **Betie,** William, veaver, and Rebeca Ross, his spouse: daughter Jean (Mr. Rudoch). Witnesses: Walter Guthrie and Allexr. Ried, boath veavers in Gordons Mills factory.

1 The Rev. James Riddoch, M.A., was appointed second minister on 19 June, 1757. He died in 1779.

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Dec. 23. **Mowat,** Daniel, merchant, and Margret Stewart, his spouse: daughter Margret. Witnesses: Margret Glennie, naim mother; John Mowat, merchant; Jno. Ferier, bookbinder.

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Jan. 19. **Coupland,** George, cooper, and Margit Strachan, his spouse: son William, born the 14th. Witnesses: Deen of Gild William Coupland; William Strachan, black smith.

26. **Donald,** Allexr., barber, and Jean Ried, his spouse: daughter Jean, born the 25th (Mr. Ridoch). Witnesses: Allexr. Donald, indweler; William Imery, bellman.

Feb. 5. **Moorison,** Robert, black-smith, and Jannet Duncan, his spouse: son Andrew, born the 31st Jan. Witnesses: Archbald Duncan, workman; George Nicol, tyle maker.

6. **Thomson,** Robert, farmer, and Jean Christie, his spouse: son James, born Feb. 5 (Mr. Rudoch). Witnesses: James Thomson and James Christie, boath farmers.

8. **Burnet,** George, and Christian Kieth, his spouse: daughter Franciss, born Feb. 8. Witnesses: George Cooper, goldsmith; Allexr. Silver of Banogubs.

Dyce, Allexr., merchant, and Mary Auchterlas, his spouse: son Allexr., born on 10th. Witnesses: Dr. Andrew Burnet, physician; John Dyce, merchant.

Davidson, George, lax-fisher in West Colts, and Elspit Elmslie, his spouse: daughter Ann. Witns.: John Donald and Allexr. Gray.

12. **MackAndrew,** James, hyrer, and Jean Donaldson, his spouse: daughter Mary, born Feb. 5. Witnesses: George Donaldson and James Wilkins.

Milne, John, masen, and Isobel Vass, his spouse: daughter Isobel, born Feb. 7 (Mr. Rudoch). Witnesses: George Melven, gaurdner; James Robertson, taylor.

14. **Melven,** George, gaurdner, and Margt Vauss, his spouse: daughter Susan, born Feb. 10 (Mr. Rudoch). Witnesses: John Taylor, merchant; Dkn. Allexr. Ross, flesher.

Mar. 3. **Leslie,** Patirck, hat maker, and Margit Dukeson, his spouse: daughter Margit, born Feb. 25 (Mr. Rudoch). Witnesses: Allexr. Hadon and John Farquhar, merchants.

26. **Gill,** John, brick layer, and Mary Mouat, his spouse: son John, born Mar. 25. Witnesses: Benjaman Lumsdeen, goldsmith; William Littlejohn, squair wright.

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April 9. **Gray,** William, merchant, and Sophia Hunter, his spouse: daughter Isobel, born April 4. Witnesses: Allexr. Panton, merchant; William Gray, stowdent at the Marshal Coledge.

23. **Hecctor,** William, piper, and Elizabath Dolass, his spouse: daughter Christian. Witnesses: James Walker, farmer; Robert Craig, labouring man.

27. **Ross,** Dr. Allexr., and Helien Midleton, his lady: son Alexander Midleton, born April 26 (Mr. Rudoch). Witnesses: Mr. Midleton of Seeton, Lady Dy, and Mrs. Walker.

30. **Mill,** John, labouring man, and Margat Nivie, his spouse: daughter Ann, born April 24, baptized in Chapel.

Hecctor, John, lax fisher, and Ann Lunde, his spouse: daughter baptized in Chapel upon Sunday. "Boath these childreen above named Isobel" (sic).

May 7. **Farquharson,** Daniel, labouring man, and Jannet Clerk, his spouse: son James. Witnesses: William Reid and James Gordon.

9. **Thomson,** Capetain Peter, ship master, and Jean Mann, his spouse: daughter Jean, born 8 May (Mr. Rudoch). Witnesses: William Forbes, coper smith; Thomos Smith.

21. **Chese,** Thomos, coper smith, and Jannet Davidson, his spouse: son John, born 17 May (Mr. Rudoch). Witnesses: William Forbes, coper smith; William Baird, silk dyer.

29. **Ross,** Allexr., flesher, and Susana Johnston, his spouse: son Allexander, born 23 May. Witnesses: Dr. Allexr. Brebner; Allexr. Procctor, flesher.

June 5. **Anderson,** Allexr., labouring man, and Isobel Davidson, his spouse: son George, born 4 June (Mr. Rudoch). Witnesses: Allexr. Culie and William Paul.

16. **Kemp,** Allexr., veaver, and Margit Watt, his spouse: daughter Isobel, born 12 June (Mr. Rudoch). Witnesses: John Ried and William Steenson, veavers.

Shepherd, William, sclaiter, and Barbara Hunter, his spouse: son James (Mr. Rudoch). Witnesses: John Lunin, Allexr. McBein, and Peter Hunter, recedenders in Aberdeen.

18. **Fitsgerald.** William, younger, barber, and Barbara Robertson, his spouse: son Gorge. Witnesses: George Mouat, merchant; William Fitzgerald, barber.

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June 20. **Liveingston,** Dr. Thomos, and Mary Robertson, his lady: daughter Mary, born 19 June (Mr. Rudoch). Witnesses: Provest Allexr. Liveingston and Lady Kininmint.

July 12. **Dufe,** James, advocate, and Helien Skeen, his lady: son Allexr., born 11 July. Witnesses:

Mill, John, taylor, and Anna Smith, his spouse: son William, born 11 July. Witnesses: Conviner William Smith, taylor; William Mill, merchant.

Crukshank, George, farmer in parish of Chaple of Garioch: daughter Christian. Witnesses: James Smith, merchant; Allexr. Miche, wright; William Paul

15. **Moriss,** Allexr., gaurdner, and Isobel Eslment, his spouse: son James, born 8 July (Mr. Rudoch). Witnesses: Allexr. Davidson, flax-dreser; George Oldman, boath indwelers.

25. **Fides,** William, litster at Powis Brigg, and Margit Gordon, his spouse: daughter Margit (Mr. Rudoch). Witnesses: James Michie, squair wright; Francis Gordon, shoe-maker.

29. **Donaldson,** James, carpentder, and Ann Molyson, his spouse: daughter Marjory. Witnesses: Francis Molyson, whellwright; George Coupland, cooper.

Aug. 1. **Nicol,** John, and Mary Donald: bastard daughter Jannet, baptized in Chapel by Mr. Rudoch.

6. **Christie,** Robert, stoken dreser, and Helien Davidson, his spouse: daughter Jannet, born 31 July. Witnesses: George Still and Andrew Walker, merchants.

14. **Burnet,** James, merchant, and Isobel Blak, his lady: daughter May, born 11 August. Witnesses: Mr. Allexr. Banerman, merchant; James Thom, son of Portlethen.

Duncan, George, shipmaster, and Jean Catto, his spouse: son William, born 14 August (Mr. Rudoch). Witnesses: William Durward, merchant; William Nicol, writter. The above is Litle George Duncan.

17. **Lieth,** John, barber, and Margit Ramage, his spouse: son Allexr., born 7 August. Witnesses: John Mcgie, vintiner; William Gordon, merchant; Allexr. Sinklar, schoolmaster.

22. **Davidson,** Allexr., flax-dreser, and Margit Smith, his spouse: daughter Isobel, born 20 August (Mr. Rudoch). Witnesses: Adam Duncan and William Innes, flax-dreseers.

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Sept. 13. **Hervey,** Allexr., indweler, and Elizabath Hervey, his spouse: son Charles, born 11 Sept. (Mr. Rudoch). Witnesses: John McKinzie, merchant; James Dunn, schoolmaster.

17. **Hecctor,** Allexander, gaurdner, and Katherin Wood, his spouse: son Allexr., born 11 Sept. (Mr. Rudoch). Witnesses: Allexr. Sinklar, schoolmaster; Allexr. Proccter, flesher.

20. **Mar,** James, lax-fisher, and Elizabath Ried, his spouse: daughter Margit, born 20 Sept. (Mr. Ridoch). Witnesses: James Ried and William Paul.

24. **Linsa,** Allexr., milert at the Lint Mills, and Barbara Elmslie, his spouse: daughter Mary, born 24 Sept. (Mr. Rudoch). Witnesses: William Muray, shoemaker; Allexander Watt, labouring man.

Oct. 6. **Still,** John, merchant, and Jean Smith, his spouse: daughter Jean, born 3 Oct. Witns.: Allexr. Still in Midleton; Allexr. Smith, merchant.

8. **Forbes,** John, labouring man, and Reabekah Smith, his spouse: daughter Rebekah, born 5 Oct. Witnesses: William Malcom, merchant; James Gibins, carpender.

[No date.] **Nicol,** William, sailor, and Margit Adam, his spouse: daughter Elpsit, born 10 Oct. (Mr. Ridoch.) Witnesses: James Adam, undertaker; James Mouat, surgion.

14. **Marr,** Allexr., laxfisher, and Ann Fouler, his spouse: son John, born 7 Oct. Witns.: James Harrow, lax-fisher; John Bruce, sailor.

15. **Stewart,** William, black-smith, and Christian Air, his spouse: daughter Margit. Witnesses: Daniel McKinzie, farmer; Charles Mathieson, lax-fisher.

17. **Allexander,** Allexr., merchant, and Rachel Chalmers, his spouse: daughter Jannet. Witnesses: John Irvine, merchant; Provest William Chalmers.

20. **Irvine,** John, merchant, and Margit Chalmers, his lady: son Charles (Mr. Rudoch). Witnesses: Capetain William Baxter; Allexr. Allexr, merchant.

22. **Rocke,** John, musitioner, and Alice Roke, his spouse: daughter Alice, born on the British Coast upon a Brittish Bottom October the 9th. (Mr. Ridoch). Witnesses: Balie Andrew Robertson; Andrew Tait, organist to St. Paul's Chapel.

27. **Hendry,** Allexr., labouring man, and Margit Clerk, his spouse: twins Isobel and Margit. (Mr. Ridoch). Witnesses: James Sim and William Paul.

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Oct. 29. **Christie,** Allexr., taylor, and Elspit Sharp, his spouse: son Allexr., born 26 Oct. (Mr. Ridoch). Witnesses: Allexr. Anderson, veaver; Daniel White, hukmaker.

Nov. 8. **Ronald,** John, meson, and Mary Ried, his spouse: daughter Mary, born 2 Nov. Witnesses: James Ross, writter; Robert Taylor, wright.

12. **Shepherd,** Thomos, cooper, and Jean Baxter, his spouse: daughter Amelia, born 9 Nov. Witnesses: Adam Baxter, cooper; William Paul.

13. **Hutchon,** James, sailor, and Dorathia Forbes, his spouse: daughter Helien, born 12 Nov. (Mr. Ridoch). Witnesses: John Laing and David Kilgour.

Wood, John, lax-fisher in Burnside of Ardo, and Jean Spring, his spouse: daughter Isobel. Witnesses: David and Andrew Springs, labouring men.

[No date.] **Meldrum,** Allexr., labouring man, and Mary Henderson, his spouse: daughter Margit, born 26 Nov. (Mr. Ridoch). Witnesses: Joseph Eliots, barber; Allexr. Calder, labouring man.

Dec. 4. **Rind,** John, couper, and Jekie Comming, his spouse: son Widne. Witnesses: Touch and William Paul.

6. **Still,** James, sailor, and Katherin Meson: natural son John. Witnesses: Thomos Burnet and John Sangster.

Mathew, George, meson, and Elspit Thom, his spouse: daughter Jean. Witnesses: John Gibb, sacrest; Peter Shuin, stabler.

18. **Smith,** John, black smith, and Margory Milne, his spouse: daughter Margit (Mr. Riddoch). Witnesses: John and Allexr. Crukshanks, whellwrights.

29. **Fordyce,** John, of Ardoe, and Agnis Irvin, his lady; daughter Agnus. Witnesses: Chas. Irvine of Cults, Esq.; David Menzies, younger, of Pitfoddels, Esqr.; Euphenus Douglass, spouse to ye sd. Charles Irvine.

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Jan. 2. **Wood,** John, sailer, and Isobel Catto, his spouse: son John, born 29 Dec. Witnesses: John Walker and Allexr. Craig.

16. **Huie,** George, litster in the Hardgate, and Agnis Knouls, his spouse: son John, born 15 Jan. Witnesses: Allexr. Meff, farmer; James Hervie, merchant.

17. **King,** John, journaman tayler, and Jean Chalmers, his spouse: son William, born 14 Jan. Witnesses: William Smiths, elder and younger.

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Jan. 19. **Ross,** Dr. Francis, and Margit Deens, his spouse: son **Francis,** born 8 Jan. Witnesses: John Jeans and William Paul.

24. **Mitchel,** Robert, gaurdner, and Jean Fettis, his spouse: son Allexander born 19 Jan. (Mr. Ridoch). Witnesses: Allexr. Anderson, and Allexr. Black, boath gaurdners.

Feb. 15. **Smith,** Thomos, squair wright, and Christian Angus, his spouse: daughter Mary, born 10 Feb. (Mr. Ridoch). Witnesses: William Litlejohn, wright; Peter Anderson, tayler.

26. **Laing,** John, indweler, and Christian Milne, his spouse: daughter Margit, born 25 Feb. Witnesses: John Gib, sacrist; Samuel Duncan, merchant.

Mar. 7. **Robertson,** Allexr. maltster, and Margit Brune, his spouse: daughter Margit, born 6 March. Witnesses: Peter Kilgour, tobacanist; John Harrow, barber.

April 8. **Morison,** John, indweler, and Jannet Christie, his spouse: son Charles, born 7 April. Witnesses: Charlles Irvine and Charles Bannerman.

[No date.] **Betie,** William, veaver, and Reabecka Ross, his spouse: daughter Agnis, born 11 April (Mr. Ridoch). Witnesses: Allexr. Culbertson, overseir to Gordons Mills Facctory; James Leslie, clerk to the Osumburg Company.

19. **Erskine,** Thomos, sailor, and Margit Duncan, his spouse: daughter Margit, born 19 April. Witnesses: James Mill, sailor; John Bruce.

21. **Still,** William, flesher, and Jean Craig, his spouse: son George, born 12 April (Mr. Ridoch). Witns.: James Marr and George Colie.

29. **Christie,** John, veaver in Gordons Mills facctory, and Elizabath Ogilvie, his spouse: son John, born 28 April. Witnesses: John Tosh, painter; Thomos Ferguson, squair wright.

May 6. **Chisim,** Mathew, labouring man, and Jannet Ried, his spouse: daughter, born 1 May, baptized in Chapel upon Sunday.

12. **Walker,** James, gaurdner, and Margit Shepherd, his spouse: daughter Anna (Mr. Ridoch). Witnesses: George Paul and John Walas, gaurdners.

13. **Gordon,** John, of Craig, Esqr., and Anna Gordon, his lady: daughter Margt, born 13 May. Witnesses: John Gordon Cuming of Pitlurg and George Moir of Scotston.

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May 14. **Tait,** Charles, advocate, and Bathia Auchterlownie, his spouse: son Thomos, born 14 May. Witnesses:

23. **Ree,** George, upholsterer, and Jannet Nicol, his spouse: son Duff, born 19 May. Witnesses: George Linton, farmer; Thomos Coachrin, painter.

24. **Profit,** Andrew, labouring man, and Rachel Watt, his spouse: daughter Agnis, baptized in the Chapel.

June 1. **Dyce,** Allexr., merchant, and Mary Auchterlownie, his spouse: son John (Mr. Ridoch). Witnesses: Sir James Ried and John Dyce, merchant.

3. **Douglass,** Francis, merchant, and Elizabath Auchterlownie, his spouse: daughter Margarat. Witnesses: Allexr. Dyce, merchant; Charles Tait, advocate.

Robertson, John, weaver, and Violet Gray, his spouse: son John, born 2 June (Mr. Rudoch). Witnesses: The Revd. Doctr. John Gord . minister of St. Paul's Chapell; William Kelly, maltster.

10. **Hecctor,** William, meson, and Jean Robertson, his spouse: daughter Helien, born 3 June. Witnesses: Allexr. Robertson and James Bietie, boath mesons.

14. **Riach,** John, journaman coper smith, and Barbara Fyffe, his spouse: daughter Jean, born 13 June. Witnesses: William Brown, malster; William Watt, shoe mender.

24. **Rhind,** James, meson, and Margit Ried, his spouse: daughter Jannet, born 22 June (Mr. Ridoch). Witnesses: John Rhind, meson; William Duncan, squair wright.

25. **Urquhart,** William, Esqr., of Meldrum, and Margarat Douglas, his lady: son James, born 24 June. Witnesses: Dr. Liveingston and Bayle Japp.

27. **Ross,** Allexr., flesher, and Shusin Johnston, his spouse: son James, born 21 June (Mr. Ridoch). Witnesses: James Rait, tanner; James Legg, maltster.

July 1. **Mouat,** Danel, merchant, and Margit Stewart, his spouse: daughter Theadozia, born 28 June. Witnesses: John Mouat and William Mill, boath burgers.

8. **Auld,** James, baker, and Isobel Stott, his spouse: son Robert, born 2 July (Mr. Ridoch). Witnesses: Gilbert and James Smiths, boath sclatters.

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[No date.] **Coopland,** George, cooper, and Margit Strachan, his spouse: daughter Margit, born 9 July (Mr. Ridoch). Witnesses: Peter Durward, baker; William Strachan, blacksmith.

[No date.] **Austin,** John, sailor, and Rachel Ferier, his spouse: son John, born 23 July (Mr. Ridoch). Witns.: Allexr. Sincklar and Aller. Kemp.

July 29. **Farquharson,** Daniel, labouring man, and Jannet Clerk, his spouse: daughter Margt, baptized in Chapel upon Sunday.

30. **Innes,** Allexr., Comissar Clerk, and Ann Ross, his spouse: daughter Charlet (Mr. Ridoch). Witnesses: Dr. Allexr. Ross and Allexr. Innes, junior.

Aug. 8. **Fides,** William, litster at Powes Brigg, and Margit Gordon, his spouse: twin sons Hugh and William, born 6 August (Mr. Ridoch). Witnesses: James Michie, squair wright; Allexr. Fides, merchant; Francis Gordon, shoemaker.

12. **Ogilvie,** John, meson, and Jean Forsyth, his spouse: daughter Jean, baptized in Chapel upon Sunday. Witnesses: William Sangster and William Paul.

13. **Dobson,** Watson, souldier in Lord Chalres Mainers Reigment of fott in Capteain Deacons Company, and Margit Grant, his spouse: son James, born 13 August. Witnesses: William Michie and James Roger, boath stablers in the Galegate.

Robertson, James, veaver, and Jean Robertson, his spouse: daughter Anna. Witnesses: Thomos Bruce, stabler; Katherin Robertson.

22. **Pratt,** Allexr., and Elizabath Haslom, his spouse: son Michael, born 21 August (Mr. Ridoch). Witnesses: Mrs. Gill, maidwife; Betie Innes.

24. **Cleerihew,** James, and Ann Forbes, his spouse: son Allexander, born 21 (Mr. Ridoch). Witnesses: William Green, squair wright; Collen Allan, gold smith.

Sept. 8. **Ried,** Allexr., laxfisher, and Anna Harow, his spouse: son John, born 1 Sept. Witns.: John Ried, vever; John Melven, squair wright.

9. **Anderson,** Allexr., veaver, and Helien Sharp, his spouse: son Allexr., born 8 Sept. Witnesses: John Ried, veaver; Allexr. Christie, wool comber.

24. **Gregory,** Dr. John, Dr. to the Kings Coledge in old Abdn., and Betie Forbes, his lady: son William (Mr. Ridoch). Witnesses:

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Sept. 24. **Rhonald,** Allexr., journam shoe-maker, and Jean Tait, his spouse: daughter Jean, born 22 Sept. (Mr. Ridoch). Witnesses: James Haket, shoe-maker; Allexr. Tait, merchant.

Oct. 4. **Bruce,** John, sailor, and Margit Robertson, his spouse: son John, born 29 Sept. (Mr. Ridoch). Witnesses: John Bruce, undertaker; William Robertson, taylor.

19. **Murgan,** George, labouring man, and Isbel Murgan, his spouse: daughter, baptized in Chapel.

Crukshank, Robert, gaurdner, and Elsbath Gib, his spouse: son Leslie, born 16 October (Mr. Ridoch). Witnesses: Balie James Leslie of Auchmole; Allexr. Leslie, merchant.

21. **Crombie,** Peter, squair wright, and Jean Peterson, his spouse: daughter Isobel, born 17 Oct. Witnesses: James Pierie and Thomos Stephen, squair wrights.

24. **Burthla,** William, vintiner, and Jannet Elmslie, his spouse: daughter Margit, born 17 Oct. (Mr. Ridoch). Witnesses: Joseph Forbes, undertaker; William Kely, maltster; James Chalmers, printer.

Nov. 11. **Baxter,** William, taylor, and Elspit Thomson: daughter Mary. Witnesses: Peter Forsyth, flax dresser; James Munday, taler.

15. **Adam,** James, wool comber, and May Gill, his spouse: son James, born 13 Nov. Witnesses: James Adam, cloath merchant; William Gill, wright.

29. **Douglas,** Andrew, sailor, and Jean Riddoch, his spouse: son Alexr., born 21 Nov. (Mr. Ridoch). Witnesses: James Beetie, masson, undertaker; Peter Gordon, labouring man; John Heus, wool comber.

Dec. 2. **Milne,** John, mason, and Isbol Vass, his spouse: son John, born 30 Nov. (Mr. Ridoch). Witnesses: Jams Robertson, tayler; Gorge Malven, garner.

Gray, William, merchant, and Sophia Hunter, his spouse: son Andrew, born 28 Nov. Witnesses: Andrew Tait, organist; John Forbes in Rosartt.

13. **Aiken,** James, labouring man and Kilo : son John, born 11 Dec. (Mr. Riddoch). Witnesses: Robert Johnston and James Forbes, labouring men.

14. **Gilespe,** William, serjant in Colonel Petitot's Regt. of foot, and Janet Cruickshank, his spouse: daughter May, born 9 Dec. (Mr. Riddoch). Witnesses: George Gillespe; David Cruikshank, indweller.

[Here there is interpolated the following entry in a different hand.]

1765.

Oct. 7. **Allexr,** William, ridle maker, and Jean Gedes: bastard son James. (Mr. Riddoch). Witns.: Allexr. Frazer, taylor; James Miller.

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Jan. 4. **Donald,** Robert, soldier in Genl. Lighten's Regt. of foot, and in Captain John Quinchant's Company, and Margaret Gillespe, his spouse: daughter Elspet, born 31 Dec. 1759. Witnesses: Deacon John Reid, weaver; George Gillespe, born man.

12. **Crombie,** Al, farmer in Berriehillock, and Isobel Nicol, his spouse: son George, born 8 Jan. (Mr. Riddoch). Witnesses: Gilbert Thom and James Nicol.

Moir, Alexr., and Ann Volumn, his spouse: son, born 11 Jan. (Mr. Riddoch). Witnesses: Thomas Volumn, weaver; John M'imtosh, shoemaker.

[No date]. **Peacock,** Francis, dancing master, and Helen Forbes, his spouse: son George, born 13 Jan. Witnesses: James Udny, advocate; David Bartlet, advocate.

Feb. 9. **Fraser,** Robert, malster, and Mary Goodfellow, his spouse: daughter Isobel, born 7 Feb. Witns.: Peter Reid and Thomas Cochran.

Mar. 7. **Still,** John, merchant, and Jean Still, his spouse: son George, born 4 March. Witns.: Alexr. Still, farmer; Alexr. Smith, merchant.

Thomson, Roberth, farmer, and Jean Christie: son John (Mr. Riddoch). Witnesses: James Christie and James Thomson, farmers.

16. **Paul,** Al., squair wright, and Jean Nicol, his spouse: daughter, born 11 March. Witns.: John Nicol, wool comber; Gilbert Clerk, taylor.

14. **Eliots,** Joseph, barber, and Christian Jeffry: twin daughters, Ann and Helen, born 12 March. Witns.: William Bennet and William Paul.

24. **Milne,** William, weaver, and Janet Metlan: son James, born 23 March (Mr. Riddoch). Witnesses: James Pirie, sqr. wright; Robert Metland, sawer of wood.

April 3. **White,** Peter, huke maker, and Margaret Clerihiew: daughter Helen, born 2 April (Mr. Riddoch). Witnesses: James Clerihue, sqr. wright; Daniel White, hookmaker.

13. **Euen,** John, sqr. wright, and Mary Angus: son Alexr., born 4 April (Mr. Riddoch). Witnesses: Charles Smart, squr. wright; David Foo, squr. wright.[1]

1 Many of the following entries are irregular in sequence, but are here presented as in the Register.

1760.

April 12. **Montgomry,** George, farmer, and Helen Middleton: son George, born 7 April (Mr. Riddoch). Witnesses: Thomas Middelton; Robert Montgomery, blacksmith.

21. **Nicol,** John, plaisterer, and Elspet Baron: daughter Helen, born 19 April (Mr. Riddoch). Witnesses: Daniel White, huker; Al. Donald, sert. to ye clerk's chamr.

20. **Mar,** Al., lax fisher, and Ann Fowler: daughter Margaret, born 18 April, baptized in Chapel upon Sunday.

26. **Moris,** Alex., gardner, and Isobel Eslement, his spouse; daughter Janet, born 24 April (Mr. Riddoch). Witnesses: Al. Davidson, flax dresser; John Rhind, masson.

23. **Marishal,** William, squair wright & New bridge in ye Parish of old Machar, and Janet Troup, his spouse: son John, born 22 April (Mr. Riddoch). Witnesses: David Cruickshank and John Troup.

22. **Forbes,** Francis, messenger, and Ann Ellis, his spouse: daughter Margaret, born 19 April (Mr. Riddoch). Witnesses: John Forbes, shoemaker; John Haddon, taylor.

May 4. **Ronald,** John, masson, and Mary Reid, his spouse; daughter Jean, born 29 April. Witnesses: Peter Reid, masson; James Stronie, shoemaker.

Jackson, John, hat-maker, and Mary Delat: son Patrich, born 28 April (Mr. Riddoch). Witnesses: Peter Leslie, elder; Peter Leslie, younger.

5. **Gordon,** John, and Ann Gordon: son John, born 5 May (Mr. Riddoch). Witnesses: Scotstown and Abache.

[No date.] **Milne,** James, sailor, and Mary Morgan: son John, born 15 June. Witnesses: John Tait and John Anderson.

July 6. **Fitzgerard,** William, barber and wig maker, and Barbara Robertson, his spouse: daughter Elizabeth, born 4 July. Witnesses: William Fitzgerard and George Mowat.

M'Andrew, James, horse hirer, and Jean Donaldson: son Peter. Witnesses: Peter Burnett and Peter Fersy.

15. **Ross,** Al., flesher, and Susan Johnstone: daughter Margaret (Mr. Riddoch). Witnesses: George Proctor and Thomas Simpson, fleshers.

27. **Harrow,** David, laxfisher in town of brea, and Ann Harrow: son , baptized in Chapel on Sunday 27 1760.

5. **Davidson,** Alexr., flax dresser, and Margt. Smith: daughter Mary (Mr. Riddoch).

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July 27. **Laing,** John, indweller, and Christian Milne: son Robert, born 24 July (Mr. Riddoch). Witnesses: John Gibb, sacrist; Samuel Duncan, merchant.

Aug. 3. **Burnett,** William, advocate, and Margarett Taylor: son James. Witnesses: John Taylor, clerk; William Brebner, merchant.

14. , Thomas, and Isobel Middleton: son Robert, born 9 August (Mr. Riddoch). Witns.: James Allan and Robert Henderson.

17. **Morison,** Robert, blacksmith, and Janet Duncan: daughter Elspet, born 8 August. Witnesses: James Bruce, gardener; Thomas Davidson.

18. **Shepherd,** Thomas, cooper, and Bakster: daughter Amelia. Witnesses: William Durwar, merchant; Adam Bakster.

Scotstown and his lady: son George, born 18 August. Witnesses: Craig and Regent Skeen.

Tait, Charles, and Bathia Auchterlauny: daughter Jean. Witnesses: Alexr. Dyce, Francis Douglas, and Andrew Tait.

23. **Watt,** John, journeman wright, and Barbara Sangster: daughter Ann (Mr. Riddoch). Witnesses: Andrew Neiper, mariner; Alexr. Middelton, wright.

[No date.] **Shaw,** John, weaver, and Mary Davidson: daughter Isobel, born 6 Sept. (Mr. Riddoch). Witnesses: Robert Davidson, taylor; Alexr. Davidson, flax dressr.

[No date.] **Cruikshank,** Robert, gardner, and Elisabeth Gibb: daughter Helen, born 1 October, baptized in the Chapel (Mr. Riddoch).

Oct. 30. **Mowat,** Daniel, merchant, and Margarett Stewart: son George, born 25 October. Witnesses: John Mowat, merchant; John Farrier, book binder.

Nov. 11. **Stirling,** William, sailor, and Christian Meldrum: daughter Margarett, born 9 November (Mr. Riddoch). Witnesses: George Meldrum, shoemaker and undertaker; Alexr. Ross, flesher.

10. **Webster,** Robert, taylor in Spittle, and Margaret Fuerguison: daughter Margaret (Mr. Ridoch). Witnesses: Andrew Arthur and William P. C.

12. **Young,** John, merchant, and Agnus Downie: son Alexr. (Mr. Riddoch). Witns: Robert Marton, baker; William Little John, wright.

15. **Still,** William, flesher, and Jean Craig: daughter Helen, born 8 November (Mr. Riddoch). Witns.: James Mar and Al. Still, fleshers.

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Nov. 22. **Marr,** Al., flesher, and Susanna Watt: daughter Susanna, born 18 November (Mr. Riddoch). Witnesses: James Marr, flesher; William Scott, farmer.

[No date.] **Gordon Cumming,** John, of Pitlurg, and his lady; son James, born 20 May. Witnesses: Mr. Turner and Dr. Donaldson.

1763.

Mar. 1. **Mowat,** Daniel, and Margret Stewart, his spouse: son Alexander. (Mr. Ruddoch). Witnesses: John Mowat and John Farrier.

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Jan. 4. **Matthew,** George, masson, and Elspet Thom: daughter Margaret, born 4 January. Witnesses: John Gibb, sacrist; Peter Suan, stabler.

11. **Duthie,** James, sqr. wright, and Isobel Taylor: daughter Janett, born 7 January. Witnesses: James Thomson, taylor; Alexr. Booth, huckster.

16. **Wood,** John, sailor, and Isobel Catto: son William, born 13 January. Witnesses: William Mowat and William Martin.

26. **Donaldson,** David, weaver, and Margarett Care: daughter Elizabeth, born 26 January. Witnesses: James Nivie and Gilbert Robertson.

Feb. 22. **Mowat,** Daniel, merchant, and Margaret Stewart: daughter Margary. (Mr. Riddoch). Witnesses: John Mowat, maltster; John Ferrier; George Stewart, book-binder.

Mar. 5. **Shepherd,** William, sclater, and Barbara Hunter: daughter Barbara, born 2 March. (Mr. Riddoch). Witnesses: Peter Hunter and Daniel White.

16. **Wildgoos,** James, gold-smith, and Tiresa McGregor: son John, born 15 March. (Mr. Riddoch). Witnesses: Francis Gordon, shoemaker; Charles Hackett, merchant.

21. **Lerken,** James, sailor, and Margaret Murray: son James, born 15 March. (Mr. Riddoch). Witnesses: William Fleeming, shoemaker; William Brown, wool-comber.

16. **Burnett,** James, merchant, and Isobel Black: daughter Agnus, born 11 March. Witnesses: James Thomson; Patrick Turnbul, surveyor of land.

Apr. 2. **Cochran,** Thomas, painter, and Jean Reid: daughter Margarett, born 1 April. (Mr. Riddoch). Witnesses: Robert Moriss, baker; William Smith, blacksmith.

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Mar. 26. **Smith,** Thomas, journeman wright, and Christian Angus: daughter Magdalen, born 25 March. (Mr. Riddoch). Witnesses: John Euin and Walter Euin.

April 5. **Fraser,** Robert, maltster, and Mary Goodfellow: son Alexander, born 3 April. Witns.: John Gray, farmer; Thomas Cochran, painter.

15. **Gray,** William, merchant, and Sophia Hunter: son Patrick, born 7 April. (Mr. Riddoch). Witnesses: Alexr. Cushnie, merchant; William Gray, writer.

19. **Yool,** Robert, farmer, and Margaret Law: daughter Elizabeth, born 14 April. (Mr. Riddoch). Witnesses: George Linton, farmer; William Bard, silk dyer.

26. **Beet,** William, black-smith, and Elizabeth Hay: daughter Elizabeth, born 24 April. (Mr. Riddoch). Witnesses: Robert Melvin, merchant; Adam Baxter, cooper.

26. **Gavin,** George, slatter, and Katherin Gall: son John, born 23 April. (Mr. Riddoch). Witnesses: John Rhind, messr.; John Ronnald, messr.

28. **Ross,** Dr. Alexr., and Helen Middelton: son George. (Mr. Riddoch). Witnesses: George Middelton of Siton, Esqr.; William and John Walker, dysters.

June 2. **Stewart,** William, black smith, and Christian Air: son William, born 28 April. (Mr. Riddoch). Witnesses: John Marr and Charles Stewart.

[No date.] **Mill,** William, weaver, and Janet Metland: daughter Elizabeth, born 6 May. (Mr. Riddoch). Witnesses: Robert Metland, sawer of wood; William Walker, hooker.

May 9. **Hector,** Alexr., gardener, and Katherine Wood: daughter Margarett, born 4 May. (Mr. Riddoch). Witnesses: William Ross, burger; John Murray.

11. **Marishal,** William, squr. wright, and Janett Trail: son George, born 9 May. (Mr. Riddoch). Witns.: William Cole and John Troup.

10. **Duncan,** William, lax fisher in Brea Side of Banchory, and Elspet Eirth: daughter Margarett, born 8 May, and baptized in Chapel upon Sunday.

15. **Duncan,** James, and Margarett Garden: son William, born 15 May. Witnesses: Alexr. Dyce and George Copland.

28. **Ried,** Sir Jas., and Jean Stronach, his lady: son David, born 25 May. Witnesses: Rhoderic McCleud, Regent in ye King's Colledge; Thomas Smith at Tiledrons hill.

1761.

May 29. **Breviton,** John, lieutenant in 56th Regiment, Lord Charles Mannors—Colonel, and Ann Souper, his spouse: daughter Ann, born 23 May. (Mr. Riddoch). Witnesses; Peter Souper of Achlouniss and James Fordyce of Ardoch.

June 16. **Adam,** Alexr., wool comber, and Mary Gill: daughter Margarett, born 14 June. (Mr. Riddoch). Witns.: James Adam and William Gill.

21. **Rhind,** James, masson, and Margarett Reid: daughter Jean, born 17 June. (Mr. Riddoch). Witnesses: William Duncan, wright; Thomas Duncan, writer.

Taylor, William, taylor, and Helen Boswell: daughter Elizabeth, born 19 June, baptized in Chapel upon Sunday. (Mr. Riddoch).

July 7. **Thomson,** William, merchant, and Jean Cuter: son John, born 6 July. (Mr. Riddoch). Witnesses: Charles Copland; George Gordon, younger.

11. **Montgomery,** George, farmer, and Hellen Middelton: son James, born 7 July. Witnesses: Robert Montgomery, black smith; Thomas Middelton, gardener.

Emly, John, and Isobel Watt: natural daughter Elizabeth, born 8 July. Witnesses: Charles Willson, undertaker; Jean Keith and Agnus Cumming.

Aug. 9. **Mill,** John, masson, and Isobel Wass: son James, born 7 August. (Mr. Riddoch). Witns.: James Robertson, taylor; William Hector, masson.

2. **Douglas,** Christopher, and Margarett Donaldson: bastard daughter Elizabeth, baptized in ye Chapel upon Sunday (Mr. Riddoch).

[No date.] **Keith,** John, in Mains of Banchorie, and Christian Mill: daughter Mary, born 11 August, and baptized in Chapel (Mr. Riddoch).

12. **Marr,** John, sailor, and Mary Guthery: daughter Helen, born 7 August (Mr. Riddoch). Witnesses: William Marr, lax fisher; John Mowat, millert.

15. **Mitchel,** Robert, gardener, and Jean Fetis: daughter Isobel, born 11 August. Witnesses: Alexr. Fetiss, elder; Alexr. Fetiss, younger.

16. **Smith,** Andrew, taylor, and Isobel Burnett: son Alexr., born 10 August (Mr. Riddoch). Witnesses: John Mill, masson; James Jeffry, wright.

18. **Christie,** Alexr., and Elspett Sharp: daughter Elspett, born 16 August (Mr. Riddoch). Witnesses: John Ewen, wright; Alexr. Anderson, weaver.

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Sept. 6. **Hervie,** Alexr., and Elizabeth Sile: daughter Mary, born 29 August. Witnesses: John Harvie and Mrs. Babe Strachan.

[No date.] **Irvine,** John, merchant; daughter Anna, born August (Mr. Riddoch). Witnesses: Cpt. Bakster and James Ro.

Aug. 31. **Riddoch,** Mr., and Margarett Baxter: daughter Christian, born 30 August. Witnesses: Cpt. Baxter, George Couper, and William Aberdeen.

Sept. 20. **Chism,** Matthew, and Jannet Reid: daughter Jean, born 16 Sept. Witnesses: James Murrow, taylor; James Angus, labourer.

6. **Ross,** William, soldier in Colonel Petitot's Regiment and Capt. Bosscragin's own Company, and Janet McLachlane: son John, born 4 Sept. Witnesses: James Reid and Robert Gray, soldiers in ye same Company.

14. **Keir,** James, soldier in Colonel Petitot's Regiment of foot and in Capt. Helman's Company, and Isobel Chisim: son James, born 12 Sept. Witns.: James Buchan and William Reid, both in ye said Cop.

23. **Gregory,** Dr. John, and Denathia Forbes, his lady: son John, born 20 Sept. (Mr. Riddoch). Witnesses: Lady Dauger Forbes and Mrs. Gregory.

Oct. 6. **Innes,** Alexr., Comissher Clerk, and Anna Ross, his lady: son John, born 3 Oct. (Mr. Riddoch). Witnesses: Dr. Ross; John Ragg, writer.

9. **Lieth,** John, barber, and Isobel Willson: son, born 8 Oct. Witnesses: John McGie, vintener; William Gordon, merchant.

27. **Moriss,** Alexr., gardiner, and Isobel Esselment: son Alexr., born 22 Oct. (Mr. Riddoch). Witnesses: Alexr. Davidson, flax dresser; John Prott, wool comber.

Sept. 27. **Wood,** John, laxfisher, and Jean Spring; son James, baptized in Chapel.

Oct. 13. **Willison,** Peter, and Katherine Ogilvie: daughter Margarett, born 13 Oct. (Mr. Riddoch).

3. **Reid,** Alexr., workman, and Ann Harrow: son Alexr., born 2 Oct. Witnesses: Robert Keith, gardener; Johns Harrow.

31. **Erskine,** Thomas, mariner, and Margarett Duncan: daughter Jean, born 30 Oct. Witnesses: William Welsh, sailor; Peter Kemp.

Nov. 1. **Hector,** William, masson, and Jean Robertson: son William, born 23 Oct. Witns.: Alexr. Robertson, masson; John Jameson, sailor.

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Nov. 7. **Donald,** Robert, souldier in General Lighten's Regiment and in Capt. Farquhar's Comp., and Margarett Gilespe: daughter Margarett, born 3 Nov. Witnesses: John Reid, weaver; George Gillespe.

Dec. 20. **Farquarson,** Daniel, labouring-man, and Janet Clerk: daughter Jean, baptized on Sunday in Chapel.

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Jan. 9. **Still,** Alexr., mariner, and Jean Donald: son William, born 4 Jan. (Mr. Riddoch). Witns.: William Donald, farmer; William Still, flesher.

12. **Nicol,** John, plaisterer, and Elspett Baron: son William (Mr. Riddoch). Witnesses: William Bean and William Paul.

Gordon, John, of Craig, and his lady: daughter Isobel, born 12 Jan. (Mr. Riddoch). Witnesses: George Moir of Scotstown; Francis Skeen, Regent.

Feb. 11. **Culbirt,** Angus, soldier in Col: Sunderland's Regiment, and May Stott: daughter Isobel, born 8 Feb. Witnesses: John Cooper, wright; John Stott, cooper.

14. **Lord Forbes** and his lady: daughter Mary, born 13 Feb. Witnesses: Mr. James Burnett, merchant; Mr. Alexr. Thomson, Consulter.

27. **Williamson,** James, in Easter Ardoch, and Isobel Cai: daughter Isobel, born 22 Feb. (Mr. Riddoch). Witnesses: John Fordyce of Ardoch; John Copland, maltster.

Mar. 6. **Philip,** Alexr., in Poolside, and Margary Spark: son George, born 28 Feb., and baptized in Chapel.

3. **Gordon,** Thomas, wool comber, and Martha Reid: daughter Elizabeth, born 2 March (Mr. Riddoch).

6. **King,** John, taylor, and Jean Chalmers: son Charles, born 3 March (Mr. Riddoch). Witnesses: William Simpson, taylor; John Couts, gardener.

18. **Ewin,** John, wright, and Mary Angus: daughter Diana, born 15 March (Mr. Riddoch). Witnesses: Charles Smart and John Ferrier.

14. **Marr,** Alexr., laxfisher, and Ann Fowler: son Alexr., born 10 March, and baptized in Chapel on Sunday.

19. **Robertson,** , masson, and Isobel Smith: daughter Mary, born 17 March (Mr. Riddoch). Witnesses: William Ross, maltster; Lewis Masson, merchant.

Nicol, William, sailor, and Margarett Adam: daughter Margarett, born 19 March. Witnesses: James Adam and James Smith.

1762.

April 15. **Ronald,** Alexr., shoemaker, and Jean Tait: daughter Ann, born 10 April. Witns.: George Still, merchant; James Hackett, shoemaker.

17. **Mill,** J , maltster, and Ann Bain: son Alexander, born 11 April, and baptized in Chapel.

20. **Gordon,** William, merchant, and Christian Middelton, his spouse: son George, born 18 April. Witnesses: Alexr. Clerk; George Skeen of Skeen.

29. **Copland,** George, cooper, and Martha Strachan: daughter Ann, born 27 April. (Mr. Riddoch). Witns.: James Hackett, shoemaker; William Strachan, blacksmith.

May 26. **Gill,** John, masson, and Mary Mowatt: son James. (Mr. Riddoch). Witnesses: Peter Leslie and David Gill.

Barron, Patrick, merchant, and Isobel Meldrum: daughter Margarett, born 26 May. (Mr. Riddoch). Witns.: George Meldrum and Malcom McCock.

July 1. **Brunnen,** William, wool comber, and Mary Angus: son Daniel, born 28 June. (Mr. Riddoch). Witnesses: James Strachan and Peter Jameson.

2. **Thomson,** John, wool comber, and Elspet Burnett: son John, born 28 June. (Mr. Riddoch). Witnesses: John Stenson, weaver; Charles Ferrier, kirk officer.

4. **Johnston,** William, labouringman, and Helen Mackie: daughter Helen, born 30 June. Witnesses: George Mowat, taylor; William Fleeman, cooper.

Shepherd, Thomas, cooper, and Baxter: daughter , born 25 June. Witnesses: Adam Bakter, Arthur Shepherd, and William Paul.

June 8. **Watson,** George, masson, and Elspet Thom: daughter Isobel, born 7 June. Witnesses: David Sherriff and John Gibb.

11. **Henrie,** Alexr., farmer in Robs law, and Beatrix Smith: daughter Margaret, born 10 June. (Mr. Riddoch). Witnesses: William Smith and William Paul.

20. **Nicol,** John, wool comber, and Elspit Leslie: daughter Jannet. (Mr. Riddoch). Witnesses: James Gordon, weaver; James Couts, woolcomber.

Hector, Alexr, masson, and Jean Wilson: daughter Jean. (Mr. Riddoch). Witnesses: William and James Hector, massons.

1762.

June 23. **Ogilvie,** William, masson, and Jean Forsyth: daughter Jannet, born 22 June. (Mr. Riddoch). Witns.: John Watson and William Mitchel.

Davidson, John, gardiner, and Ann Donald: son George, born 19 June. (Mr. Riddoch). Witnesses: George Moir and Joseph Donald.

26. , Alexr., and Rachel Chalmers: son William. (Mr. Riddoch). Witnesses: William Mckenzie and William Reid.

July 8. **Dyce,** Alexr., merchant, and Mrs. Ouchterlouny: son Andrew. (Mr. Riddoch). Witnesses: John and Robert Dyce, merchants.

19. **Horvay,** George, and Agnus Knolls: daughter Margarett, born 18 July. (Mr. Riddoch). Witns.: John Knolls, laxfisher; Alexr. Meff.

16. **Hudd,** Gideon, soldier in Colonel Petitot's Regiment, and Christian Kieth: twin sons David and James. Witnesses: David Keith, undertaker; James Black and Alexr. Lawson.

25. **Marr,** John, lax fisher, and Isobel Coulie: daughter Isobel, born 22 July, and baptized in Chapel upon Sunday.

[No date.] **Allan,** John, gardiner, and Isobel Colie: daughter Jannet, born 2 August. Witnesses: Adam Duncan, flax dresser; Alexr. Allan, tylemaker to Mr. Auldjo.

Aug. 21. **Still,** William, flesher, and Jean Craig: son Alexr., born 14 August. (Mr. Riddoch). Witnesses: John Reid, weaver; Andrew Pirie.

23. **Turner,** Robert, sawer, aud Martha Turner: son Andrew, born 22 August. (Mr. Riddoch). Witnesses: Andrew Turner, litster; William Mitchell, merchant; Dr. Andrew Skeen.

2. **McKie,** John, flower millart at Justice Mills, and Mary Hay: son John, born 28 July. (Mr. Riddoch). Witnesses: Alexr. Cushnie, farmer; Allexr. Robb, millart.

8. **Stewart,** Alexr., blacksmith, and Christian Stewart: daughter Jean, born 30 July. Witnesses: William Martin and P. L.

25. **Davidson,** Alexr., flax dresser, and Margaret Smith: son George, born 24 August. (Mr. Riddoch). Witnesses: William Innes, flaxdresser; William Lenard.

Sept. 4. **Cato,** James, weaver, and Elspet Craig: son Alexr., born 29 August, and baptized in Chapel. (Mr. Riddoch).

Aug. 30. **Wood,** John, sailor, and Isobel Cato: son George, born 25 August. (Mr. Riddoch). Witnesses: Alexr. Craig, taylor; William Paul.

Sept. 3. **Drimmie,** Alexr., cooper, and Isobel Duncan: son Alexander, born 2 Sept. (Mr. Riddoch). Witnesses: Alexr. Drimmie and Alexr. Colie.

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Sept. 7. **Dyce,** Robert, merchant, and May Dyce: son James (Mr. Riddoch). Witnesses: Alexr. and James Dyce.

8. **Laing,** John, indweller, and Christian Mill: son Alexr., born 4 Sept. (Mr. Riddoch). Witnesses: John Gibb, sacrist; James Milne, merchant.

12. **Fiddes,** William, litster at Powiesbridge, and Margt. Gordon: daughter Ann, born 10 Sept. Witnesses: Francis Gordon and James Hacket.

29. **Fraser,** Charles, livtenant in ye Queen's Royal Regt. of Highlander of foot, and Ann Copland, his lady: daughter Margarett, born 28 Sept. (Mr. Riddoch). Witnesses: William Durward, merchant; George Copland, cooper.

28. **Wildgoose,** James, goldsmith, and Teresa Mcgregor: son Alexr., born 27 Sept. (Mr. Riddoch). Witnesses: John Rollan, shipmaster; Hugh Gordon, watch maker.

12. **Fiddes,** William, litster, and Margaret Gordon: daughter Ann, born 10 Sept. Witnesses: Francis Gordon and James Hacket.

Oct. 2. **Marr,** Alexr., flesher, and Shuan Watt: son James, born 30 Sept. (Mr. Riddoch). Witns.: James Marr, flesher; Alexr. Scott, sqr. wrt.

6. **Moriss,** James, gardiner, and Elizabeth Walker: daughter Isobel, born 1 October. Witnesses: John Walker and William Reid.

17. **Kyle,** John, soldier in General Petitot's Regiment and in Capt. Ragit's Comp., and Jean Thomson: son Robert (Mr. Ruddoch). Witnesses: Alexr. Thomson, undertaker; William Bakster.

Young, John, merchant, and Agnis Downie: son John (Mr. Riddoch). Witnesses: Robert Martin and William Litteljohn.

Edward, James, merchant, and Elspet Leslie: son William, born 13 October. Witnesses: Peter Leslie and William Leman.

31. **Cruikshank,** Robert, gardiner, and Elizabeth Gibb: daughter Isobel, baptized in Chapel upon Sunday.

Marr, James, laxfisher, and Elizabeth Reid: son Alexander, born 29 October, and baptized in Chapel.

Reid, William, masson, and Elizabeth Baird: daughter Helen, born 26 October (Mr. Riddoch).

30. **Robertson,** John, and Violet Gray: daughter Helen, born 27 October (Mr. Riddoch). Witnesses: Mr. George Leslie and John Ferrier.

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Dec. 4. **Gauld,** David, staymaker, and Isobel Chalmers: daughter Margary, born 1 Dec. (Mr. Riddoch). Witnesses: Joseph Forbes and Alexr. Aberdeen.

Reid, Jas.: son William (Mr. Riddoch). Witnesses: Regent McCleud and Balzie Cruickshank.

11. **Ogilvie,** Dr. John, and Isobel Main: daughter Clementina, born 8 Dec. Witnesses: Clementina Phine and Ann Smith.

Nov. 30. **Donaldson,** James, carpanter, and Ann Molison: son James (Mr. Riddoch). Witnesses: Francis Mollison and William Strachan.

Dec. 22. **Minro,** Robert, soldier in General Petitot's Regiment and in Capt. Hellman's Company, and Jean Garden: daughter Margt., born 22 Dec. Witnesses: George Garden, undertaker; William Smith.

24. **Couts,** Peter, and Janet Nivie; son John, born 19 Dec. (Mr. Riddoch). Witnesses: John Reid, weaver; Jeames Nivie.

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Feb. 9. **Kemp,** Alexr., weaver, and Margaret: daughter Katherine, born 7 Feb. (Mr. Riddoch). Witnesses: John Reid, weaver; Alexr. Marr, flesher.

8. **Biet,** William, blacksmith, and Elizabeth Hay: daughter Janett (Mr. Riddoch). Witnesses: Robert Melvin, merchant; John Copland, barber.

11. **Cochrane,** Thomas, painter, and Jannet Reid: son Thomas, born 9 Feb. (Mr. Riddoch). Witns.: Peter Reid and Robert Moriss.

12. **Urquhart,** William, of Meldrum, and his lady: daughter Isobel. Witnesses: Dr. Leivingston and Mr. James Dunn.

Mar. 5. **Burnett,** William, advocate, and Margarett Taylor: son Arthur. Witnesses: John Taylor and Alexr. Walker.

Feb. 14. **Dyce,** Alexr., merchant, and Mary Ouchterlounay: daughter May. Witnesses: Alexr., John, and Robert Dyces, merchants.

19. **Yool,** Peter, farmer, and Margarett San: son James (Mr. Riddoch). Witnesses: George Linton and James Grant.

20. **Forbes,** John, workman, and Rebecca Smith: daughter Helen. Witnesses: James Colie and James Caddenhead, workmen.

White, Peter, hooker, and Margt. Clerihue: son Isaac, born 13 Feb. (Mr. Riddoch). Witns.: James Clerihue, wright; Daniel White.

Mar. 7. **Stuart,** Robert and Elizabeth: daughter Anna. Witnesses: William Walker, undertaker; William Williamson.

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Feb. 23. **Walker,** Robert, gardiner, and Jean Black: son Donald, baptized in Chapel on Sunday.

Innes, Allexr., comiss: clerk, and Ann Ross: son Hugh (Mr. Riddoch). Witnesses: Dr. Ross; John Innes, weaver.

Mar. 23. **Black,** Adam, woolcomber, and Jean Sangster: son Thomas. Witnesses: Alexander Bennerman and Al. Beat.

Hunter, George, laxfisher in Brae of Pitfoddels, and Mart. Duncan: daughter Margarett, baptized in Chapel.

31. **Smith,** Thomas, squair wright, and Christian Angus: daughter Mary, born 29 March. Witns.: John Ewin, wright; Robert Dingwal.

[No date.] **Fleeman,** William, shoemaker, and Jean Been: son George, born 2 April (Mr. Riddoch). Witnesses: John Forbes and George Keith, shoemakers.

April 6. **Guthrie,** Alexr., shoemaker, and Agnus Couts: son William, born 31 March (Mr. Riddoch). Witns.: William Smith and Robert Couts.

Ranald, John, masson, and Mary Reid: son John, born 3 April (Mr. Riddoch). Witnesses: Charles Sangster and John Ferrier, book binder.

8. **Thomson,** Robert. farmer, and Jean Christie: son George. Witnesses: James Christie, elder and younger; George Thomson.

19. **McCraw,** Alexr., and Beatrix M'Conichie: son Charles. Witns.: John Garden, undertaker; William Paul.

Innes, Lewis, shoemaker, and Margarett Ferrieer: son, born 19 April, and baptized in Chapel (Mr. Riddoch).

May 7. **Bruce,** George, tide waiter, and Elizabeth Webster: daughter Elizabeth, born 4 May. Witnesses: Thomas Bruce and Ann Webster.

12. **Anderson,** Alexr., and Helen Sharp: son John, born 10 May. Witnesses: John Reid, weaver; John Cockburn.

15. **Still,** John, merchant, and Jean Smith: daughter Diana, born 13 May. Witnesses: Robert Smith, merchant; Alexr. Still, farmer.

[No date.] **Moir,** Alexr., shoemaker, and Volumn: daughter Ann, born 23 May. (Mr. Riddoch). Witnesses: Tohomas Volumn, weaver; James Robertson.

[No date.] **Kieth,** David, wool comber, and Agnis Mcbain: son John, born 3 June. (Mr. Riddoch). Witnesses: James Middelton, woolcomber; James Black, gardener.

[No date.] **Mackie,** John, flour millart, and Mary Hay: son William, born 8 June. (Mr. Riddoch). Witns.: Alexr. Robb, millart; William Stephen.

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June 17. **Erskine,** Thomas, sailor, and Margaret Duncan: son Thomas, born 12 June. Witns.: Thomas Fraser, shipmast.; John Bruce, hookster.

18. **Shaw,** John, weaver, and Mary Davidson: son Robert, born 15 June. (Mr. Riddoch). Witnesses: Andrew Davidson, gardener; Robert Davidson, taylor.

July 11. **Angus,** William, and Mary Kieth: bastard son William. Witns.: Charles Wilson, undertaker.

9. **Duncan,** John, farmer, and Jean Metland: son Charles. (Mr. Riddoch). Witnesses: Robert Metland, undertaker; James Davidson.

16. **Forbes,** Lord: daughter Mary Elizabeth, born 11 July. (Mr. Riddoch). Witnesses: Meldrum and Mr. Thomson.

19. **Rennie,** Robert, weaver, and Jean Hadden: daughter Elspet. Witnesses: William Rennie and Patrick Haddon.

Murray, Alexr., currier, and Margt. George: bastard daughter Isobel. Witnesses: John Titup and James Bottuck.

Aug. 7. **Morisson,** Robert, blacksmith, and Janet Duncan: son William, baptized in Chapel upon Sunday.

13. **Davidson,** Alexr., sadler, and Margaret Knolls: son George, born 12 August. (Mr. Riddoch). Witns.: George Forbes and George Low.

25. **Mill,** John, and Margarett Nivie: son George. (Mr. Riddoch). Witnesses: George Paul, gardener; James Nivie.

Schisim, Mathew, sclater, and Janet Reid: daughter Helen, born 24 August. (Mr. Riddoch). Witns.: James Angus and Charles Willson.

25. **Barron,** Peter, merchant, and Isobel Meldrum: daughter Christian, born 21 August. (Mr. Riddoch). Witnesses: George Meldrum, shoemaker; Alexr. Gordon, merchant.

21. **Smith,** Peter, merchant, and Mary Mudd: daughter Margarett. (Mr. Riddoch). Witnesses: John and Alexr. Taylor.

28. **Ferquerson,** Daniel, and Janet Clerk: daughter Ann, baptized in Chapel.

31. **Ross,** Alexr., shoemaker, and Jean Cushnie: daughter Jean, born 27 August. (Mr. Riddoch). Witnesses: James Farquhar and Colin Simpson.

Sept. 5. **Hector,** Alexr., masson, and Jean Wilson: son William, born 4 Sept. (Mr. Riddoch). Witns.: William and James Hector, massons.

10. **Duncan,** William, laxfisher, and Isobel Emslie: son Andrew. Witnesses: Alexr. Duncan and David Aiken.

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Sept. 11. **Duthie,** William, wright, and Agnis Innes: daughter **Jean,** born 9 Sept. Witnesses: William Duthie and James Jaffry.

Drimmie, Alexr., cooper, and Isobel Duncan: son **James** (Mr. Riddoch). Witnesses: John Sim and George Gordon.

17. **Dyce,** John, merchant, and Christian Rose: daughter **May,** born 16 Sept. Witnesses: Alexr. Dyce, servt.; Robert Dyce.

21. **Kemla,** Alexr., shoemaker, and Margaret Matheson: son **Francis** (Mr. Riddoch). Witnesses: Francis Gordon, elder and younger.

8. **Forbes,** Francis, and Bettie Frazer: daughter **Bettie** (Mr. Riddoch). Witnesses: Robert Shillis, merchant; **John Forbes.**

16. **Dyce,** John, merchant, and May Dyce: daughter **May.** Witns.: Alexr. and Robert Dyce, merchants.

29. **Allan,** Mr.: daughter Elizabeth (Mr. Riddoch). Witnesses: Francis Gordon and Alexr. Ross.

Oct. 13. **Burnett,** James, son Samuel (Mr. Riddoch). Witnesses: **James** Thomson and Mr. Bannerman.

29. **Young,** John: son William (Mr. Riddoch). Witnesses: **William** Littlejohn.

28. **Gordon,** George, Rothnie: son William. **William Ritchar Gordon,** his son.

29. **Martin,** William: daughter Isobel (Mr. Riddoch). Witnesses: William and George Duncans.

23. **Masson,** Charles, masson, and Helen Mckie: daughter **Elizabeth.** Witnesses: Charles Masson and George Morgan.

Nov. 27. **Harrow,** David, and Agnus Harrow: daughter **Isobel, baptized** in Chapel.

Gray, William, and Sophia Hunter: daughter **Sophia, born 23** November. Witnesses: Alexr. Murray and Alexr. Gray.

Clerihue, James, wright, and Ann Forbes: son **John.** (Mr. Riddoch). Witnesses: Collin Allan; Alexr. Scott, **wright.**

Law, Samuel, and Elizabeth Sangster: daughter Ann. **Witnesses:** John Sangster and Robert Kemp.

Dec. 21. **Cruikshank,** William, junior, merchant, and Jean **Lindsay: son** James, born 18 Dec. Witnesses: Balzie James Jopp and **Balzie James** Cruikshank.

26. **Brown,** John, and Jean Mearns: son Richard. Witns.: **Robert** Mearns and George Jeffrey.

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Jan. 3. **Aiken,** David, in Middelton of Pitfoddels, and Elizabeth Martin: son Peter (Mr. Riddoch). Witnesses: Peter Aiken and William Troup.

21. **Moriss,** Alexr., gardener, and Isobel Esselment: son John (Mr. Riddoch). Witnesses: Alexr. Davidson and John Rhind.

Feb. 11. **Marr,** Alexr., flesher, and Susanna Watt: son William, born 4 Feb. (Mr. Riddoch). Witnesses: James, flesher; David Cumming, ship-master.

20. **Smith,** Thomas, at Tiledron, and Isobel Brown: son James, born 17 Feb. (Mr. Riddoch). Witnesses: Sir James Reid and his lady.

[No date.] **Low,** Adam, wright at Countesswells, and Isobel Law: daughter Katherine (Mr. Riddoch). Witns.: John Low, taylor; Gilbert Davidson.

April 4. **Irvin,** John, merchant, and Margarett Chalmers: daughter Margarett (Mr. Riddoch). Witnesses: Ross.[1]

Feb. 22. **Duff,** James, advocate, and Helen Skeen: son George. Witns.: Ld. Forbes, James Thomson, and Robert Thomson.

April 12. **Gordon,** William, merchant, and Christian Middelton: daughter Katherine, born 9 April (Mr. Riddoch). Witnesses: Mrs. Janet Simpson and Mrs. Jean Middelton.

7. **Loggie,** William, litster, and Margt. Murdoch: daughter Margaret born 3 April. Witns.: Alexr. Fiddes, merchant: Francis Thomson, litster.

May 6. **Guthrie,** Alexr., shoemaker at Gilkamston, and Agnus Couts: daughter Margarett (Mr. Riddoch). Baptized in Chapel.

22. **Montgomerie,** George, gardiner, and Helen Middelton: son John. Witnesses: Thomas Middelton and Robert Mongomry.

20. **McKie,** John, flouer millart, and Mary: daughter Ann, baptized in Chapel.

23. **Auld,** James, baker, and Isobel Stott: twins Gilbert and Helen (Mr. Ruddoch). Witnesses: Gilbert and James Smith.

Fraser, Robert, maltster, and Mary Goodfellow: son George, born 20 May (Mr. Riddoch). Witnesses: Peter Reid, masson; Thomas Cochrane, painter.

June 12. **Cruikshank,** Robert, gardener, and Elizabeth Gibb: daughter Elspet (Mr. Riddoch). Witnesses: William Michie and John Richie.

[1] This and many of the following entries are irregular in order, but they are here retained as in the Register itself.

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July 5. **Cobin,** James, labouring man, and Elspet Gray: daughter **Ann** (Mr. Riddoch). Witnesses: Alexr. Taylor and John Emslie.

June 24. **Thomson,** John, woolcomber, and Elspet Burnett: daughter Isobel (Mr. Riddoch). Witnesses: Alexr. Burnett and James Allan.

Burnet, Robert, wool comber, and Isobel Colieson: son Christopher. Witnesses: William Glass and John Nicol.

July 15. **Johnston,** William, and Helen Mackie: daughter Jean, baptised in Chapel upon Sunday (Mr. Riddoch).

17. **Milne,** George, and Margarett Henderson: daughter Euphia, born 15 July (Mr. Riddoch). Witnesses: George Stewart and John Drummond.

[No date.] **Milne,** John, masson, and Elizabeth Hutton: son John, born 26 July (Mr. Riddoch). Witnesses: James Hector, masson; George Robertson, weaver.

Aug. 12. **Reid,** William, masson, and Elizabeth Baird: son James, born 9 August (Mr. Riddoch). Witnesses: William Baird; James Rhind, masson.

14. **Robertson,** George, masson, and Isobel Smith: son Thomas, born 12 August (Mr. Riddoch). Witnesses: Thomas Cokran; William Beet, blacksmith.

3. **Pirie,** Thomas, wright, and Mary Finla: son Alexr. (Mr. Riddoch). Witnesses: John Tayler; John Smith, masson.

[No date.] **Thomson,** William, junior, merchant: son Alexander, born 8 August. Witnesses: Alexr. Lumsden, advocate; Alexr. Leslie.

Aug. 19. **Rhind,** James, masson, and Margaret Reid: daughter Susanna (Mr. Riddoch). Witnesses: William Duncan, wright; John Rhind, masson.

Gray, Joseph, sailor, and Elspet Troup: son Andrew, born 19 August. Witnesses: Andrew Gray, woolcomer; William Paul.

Sept. 29. **Black,** William, wool comber, and Jean Sangster: son James. Witnesses: James Glass and James Edward.

18. **Shepherd,** William, weaver, and Ann Davidson: son George (Mr. Riddoch). Witnesses: George Shepherd.

16. **Gill,** John, masson, and Mary Mowat: son Robert. Witnesses: Peter Leslie; David Gill, shoemaker.

Mowat, Daniel, merchant, and Margaret Stewart: daughter Helen. Witnesses: John Mowat, merchant; John Ferrier and George Slesser.

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Aug. 2. **Cruikshank,** William, taylor, and Mary Cruikshank: daughter Mary, born 24 July (Mr. Farquhar). Witnesses: William Lenard and David Cruikshank.

Sept. 25. **Gillespe,** William, and Janet Cruickshank: daughter Margarett, born 12 Sept. (Mr. Riddoch). Witnesses: William Leanard and David Cruickshank.

Oct. 9. **Fraser,** Alexr., taylor, and Margarett Douglas: daughter Margaret, born 6 Oct. (Mr. Farquhar). Witnesses: John Fraser, staymaker; Alexr. Paul, squair wright.

14. **Wilson,** James, flax dresser, and Barbara Petrie: daughter Isobel (Mr. Riddoch). Witnesses: William, James, and Alexr. Lighton, flaxdressers.

20. **Brunen,** William, woolcomber, and Mary Angus: daughter Nanse (Mr. Riddoch). Witnesses: James Walker and Alexr. Fotheringham.

Downie, Alexr., sailor, and Margaret Christie: son Alexr. (Mr. Riddoch). Witnesses: John Jeffry, undertaker; John Thomson.

29. **Cochran,** Thomas, painter, and Janet Reid: daughter Helen. Witnesses: Peter Reid, masson; Robert Moriss, baker.

Troup, Mathew, stay maker, and Margt. Messer: son Jonathan. Witnesses: David Gill and William Paul.

Nov. 4. **Moriss,** James, gardener, and Elizabeth Walker: son John (Mr. Riddoch). Witnesses: James Allan and John Walker.

Aiken, David, lax fisher, and Elizabeth Martin: daughter Helen (Mr. Riddoch). Witnesses: Alexr. Still and Peter Aiken.

[No date.] **Cloudsly,** John, marner, and Helen Frazer: son John.

Dec. 17. **Hervay,** Alexr., and Elizabeth Hervay: daughter Margarett, born 1 Dec. (Mr. Riddoch). Witnesses: Dr. Burnett and Mr. James Dun.

11. **Skinner,** Thomas, hat maker, and Lilian Gowdie: daughter Christian, born 8 Dec. (Mr. Riddoch). Witnesses: Mr. Peter Leslie, elder and younger.

Nov. 19. **Henderson,** James, sailor, and Henerett Midler: daughter Margaret (Mr. Riddoch). Witnesses: George Midler, undertaker; Alexr. Garden, workman.

Sept. 29. **Black,** Adam, and Jean Sangster: son James. Witnesses: James Gless, skinner; and James Edward.

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Jan. 6. **Souter,** Robert, sailor, and Mary Fraser: daughter **Agnis,** born 4 Jan. (Mr. Riddoch). Witns.: John Cloudlie and Moses Cadenhead.

20. **Mill,** John, masson, and Isobel Vass: son Alexr., born 14 Jan. Witnesses: Samuel Gord and Alexr. Volumn.

[No date.] **Fleeming,** William, shoemaker, and Jean Been: son Benjaman, born 24 Jan. (Mr. Riddoch). Witnesses: John Forbes and George Keith, shoemakers.

Mar. 21. **Lamb,** Alexr., woolcomber, and Elspet Sim: daughter Christian, born 19 March (Mr. Riddoch). Witnesses: James Lamb, taylor; James Brown, slater.

23. **Robertson,** Charles, sawer of wood, and Jean Downie: son George, born 18 March. Witnesses: Robert Garden and John Ewin.

Feb. 24. **Leith,** John, barber, and Isobel Wilson: son William, born 21 Feb. (Mr. Riddoch). Witnesses: William Beard and Alexr. Thomson.

Mar. 4. **Taylor,** John, excise officer, and Jean Sim: daughter Jean, born 3 March (Mr. Riddoch). Witnesses: William Sim, undertaker; John Forbes.

10. **Govier,** James, woolcomber, and Elizabeth Govier: son John, born 8 March (Mr. Riddoch). Witnesses: Christopher Fry and William Glass.

11. **Dyke,** George, soldier, and Katherine Spaden: daughter Mary. Witnesses: James Johnston and William McIntosh.

13. **Taylor,** James, sailor, and Christian Smart: daughter Ann (Mr. Riddoch). Witnesses: John Thomson and Alexr. Smart.

April 2. **Gordon,** George, and Sarra Elphinston: daughter Jean. Witns.: John Irvine and John Gordon of Craigmilne.

Mar. 31. **Hule,** James, gardener, and Ann Johnston: daughter Jean, born 28 March (Mr. Riddoch). Witnesses: William Anderson and William Duthie.

April 8. **Smith,** Thomas, masson, and Margaret Thomson: son Thomas (Mr. Riddoch). Witnesses: William Smith and Alexr. Calder.

13. **Benzie,** William, and Elspet Webster: daughter Jean, baptised in Chapel.

16. **Angus,** Alexr., labouring man, and Isobel Davidson: son [sic] Isobel (Mr. Riddoch). Witns.: James Andrew and George Steenson.

27. **Rennie,** Robert, weaver, and Jean Gordon: daughter Helen. (Mr. Riddoch). Witnesses: Peter Hadden and Robert Rennie.

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April 27. **Forbes,** Francis, messenger, and Bettie Fraser, daughter Jean (Mr. Riddoch). Witnesses: William Paul and Margt. Thomson.

30. **Dyce,** Robert, merchant, and May Dyce: son Alexr. Witnesses: Alexr. Dyce, elder and younger.

May 4. **Law,** Samuel, and Elizabeth Sangster: son John. Witnesses: John Youngson and Robert Rizzet.

17. **Spence,** Arthur, gardiner, and Christian Smart: son Alexr. (Mr. Riddoch). Witnesses: James Leith, masson; Thomas Bennet, shoemaker.

16. **Craik,** John, sailor, and Mary Thomson, son John. Witnesses: Mr. Tait, organist; Mr. George Still, merchant.

15. **Robertson,** James, weaver at Blairs, and Jean Robertson: son David.

19. **Young,** John, merchant, and Agnus Downie: son James (Mr. Riddoch). Witnesses: Mr. William Litteljohn.

20. **Still,** Alexr., in Midelton of Pitfoddels, and Margaret Booth: daughter Christian. Witns.: George Mill, Jean Smith, Helen Mill.

31. **Walker,** James, taylor, and Elspet Watt: daughter Jannet (Mr. Riddoch). Witnesses: James Chesser and James Caie.

25. **Gellen,** Alexr., flesher, and Janet Wallace: daughter Susanna (Mr. Riddoch). Witns.: Alexr. Ross and John Fuergueson, fleshers.

June 2. **Reid,** Thomas, and Ann Shuan: daughter Barbara. Witnesses: James Rind and George Nua.

5. **Cummin,** John, and Helen Sim: daughter Isobel (Mr. Riddoch). Witnesses: John Sim and George Gray.

6. **Ronnald,** Alexr., shoemaker, and Jean Tait: son William, born 2 June (Mr. Riddoch). Witnesses: Alexr. Tait and James Hacket.

16. **Wood,** Capt. John, and Isobel Cato: son David, born 8 June (Mr. Riddoch). Witnesses: John Pirie, merchant; Thomas Craig, sailor.

2. **Copland,** George, cooper, and Martha Strachan: son James. Witnesses: Mr. Copland, William Strachan, and James Hacket.

3. **Stirling,** William, sailor, and Christian Meldrum: son William (Mr. Riddoch). Witnesses: George Meldrum and John Nell.

7. **Edward,** Lieutenant James, and Jean Edward: daughter Charlott. Gordon (Mr. Riddoch). Witnesses: Andrew Foweler, merchant; William Copland, clerk.

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June 27. **Robertson,** Gilbert, taylor, and Janet Fleeman; daughter Jean (Mr. Riddoch). Witnesses: James Robertson, goldsmith; Thomas Litster.

July 3. **Michie,** William, maltster, and Margarett Lyen: son Paul, born 2 July (Mr. Riddoch). Witnesses: Alexr. Cushnie, farmer; Alexr. Drimmie.

Stewart, George, wool comber, and Mary Stewart: daughter Ann (Mr. Riddoch). Witnesses: Peter M'William and Hugh Simpson, wool comberer.

7. **Davidson,** William, maltster in Ferriehill, and Helen Knolls: son Thomas (Mr. Riddoch). Witnesses: Thomas Knolls, farmer; Robert Davidson, taylor.

13. **Still,** John, merchant, and Jean Smith: daughter Isobel, born 10 July. Witnesses: John Smith, merchant; William Cooper.

28. **Gordon,** William, merchant, and Christian Gordon: daughter Christian. Witnesses: Margaret Tait and Janet Middelton.

Milne, William, weaver, and Janet Metland: son George (Mr. Riddoch). Witnesses: James Nivie, merchant; Robert Metland.

Aug. 11. **Garden,** James, tobacconist, and Elizabeth Blackwood: daughter Jean, born 8 August (Mr. Riddoch). Witnesses: Alexr. Holumn, junior and senior.

2. **Cruickshank,** Alexr., sawer of wood, and Isobel Duncan: daughter Christian, born 30 July (Mr. Riddoch). Witnesses: David Cruickshank and William Gillispe.

7. **Chalmers,** Charles, journyman wright, and Elizabeth Auld: son William (Mr. Riddoch). Witnesses: William Littlejohn and William Proctor.

10. **Irvine,** John, merchant, and Margt. Chalmers: son Thomas (Mr. Riddoch). Witns.: George Gordon, Rothnie; Alexr. Alexr., merchant.

Sept. 14. **Yool,** Peter, farmer, and Margt. Law: daughter Jean (Mr. Riddoch). Witnesses: Thomas Bennet, shoemaker; Robert Wright, shoemaker.

24. **Duff,** James, sailor, and Isobel Legit: bastard child Margaret (Mr. Riddoch). Witnesses: Ninian Legit, undertaker; David Cruickshank and Peter Shuan.

Dyce, Alexr., merchant, and Mary Ouchterlounay: daughter Ann (Mr. Riddoch). Witnesses: John and Robert Ryce, merchants.

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Aug. 23. **Auld,** James, and Isobel Stott: son James. Witnesses: James Smith and James Davidson.

Nicol, John, woolcomber, and Elspet Sile: daughter Diana. Witnesses: David Sherriff, wright; Christopher Fry.

Sept. 4. **Christie,** George, merchant, and Jannet Fleeman: daughter Agnis. Witnesses: William and John Sangster, shoemakers.

Hector, Alexr., gardener, and Katherine Wood: daughter Jean (Mr. Riddoch). Witnesses: William Simmers, James Fraser and Alexr. Ross.

Oct. 6. **Ewin,** John, wright, and Mary Angus: daughter Christian (Mr. Riddoch). Witnesses: Charles Smart, John King and William Ross.

11. **Hector,** Alexr., masson, and Jean Wilson: son James (Mr. Riddoch). Witnesses: William and James Hector, massons.

6. **Moir,** Alex., shoemaker, and Ann Volumn: daughter Isobel. Witnesses: Thomas and James Robertson, weavers.

12. **Matthew,** George, masson, and Elspet Thom: daughter Jean. Witnesses: John Gibb, sacrist; Samuel Grant, merchant.

15. **Thomson,** Robert, farmer, and Jean Christie: son Andrew (Mr. Riddoch). Witnesses: James and Alexr. Thomson, farmers.

20. **Marr,** Thomas, sawer of wood, and Jean Ritchie: son Thomas Witnesses: Peter Kingour and Alexr. Ritchie.

Nov. 1. **Smith,** Peter, merchant, and Mary Moody: daughter Margaret, baptized in Chapel (Mr. Ruddoch).

2. **Thom,** James, and Margarett Craig, son William (Mr. Riddoch). Witnesses: Robert Wright, shoemaker; Alexr. Duffes, flesher.

Turner, Robert, writer, and Martha Turner: daughter Jean. Witnesses: Andrew Turner, dyster; William Mitchal, merchant.

15. **Webster,** Robert, taylor, and Margt. Fuergueson: daughter Elizabeth (Mr. Riddoch). Witnesses: David Gordon, cooper; Robert Paterson, blacksmith.

Dec. 8. **Stevenson,** James, labouring man, and Elizabeth Neiper: son John, baptized in Chapel on Sunday (Mr. Riddoch).

Schisim, Matthew, slater, and Jannet Reid: son Charles. Witnesses: Charles Wilson and Charles Duncan.

Gallowa, John, barber, and Jean Davidson: daughter Jean (Mr. Riddoch). Witnesses: Al. Davidson and William Breek.

2. **Logan,** William, dyster, and Margaret Murdo: son George, born 30 Nov. (Mr. Riddoch). Witnesses: John Copland and Alexr. Kaurns.

1766.

April 8. **Ross,** Alexr., flesher, and Susan Johnston: son Thomas (Mr. Riddoch). Witnesses: George Proctor and David Leisk.

13. **Mearns,** Benjamin, and Isobel Ridol: daughter Lilie. Witnesses: William Brown, wool comber; George Cruickshank.

Carr, James, journyman shoemaker, and Isobel Nicol: son John Witnesses: John Nicol, wright; Daniel White, hueker.

Brown, John, sawer of wood, and Jean Mearns: son James. Witnesses: James Lindsay; Robert Mearns, taylor.

6. **Fuergueson,** John, flesher, and Jannet Martin: son John, born 15 April. Witnesses: John Auldjo and John Forgueson.

17. **Drimmie,** Alexr., cooper and new bridge, and Isobel Duncan: daughter Mary. Witnesses: John Sim and George Gordon.

19. **Forrest,** James, blacksmith, and Ann Crombie: son James. Witnesses: Alexr. Crombie, James Nicol and James Crombie.

24. **Lowrance,** John, and Helen Barack: son George (Mr. Riddoch). Witnesses: Alexr. Moir, blacksmith; William Davidson, merchant.

26. **Mill,** John, masson, and Elizabeth Hitton: son Alexr. (Mr. Riddoch). Witnesses: James Hector, masson; James Strachan, woolcomber.

[The following, down to but not including the entry "1767. Jan. 8," are taken from the reversed entries in the end of Vol. II. referred to at page 18 of the preceding "Historical Introduction."]

1752.

Nov. 12. **Walker,** Andrew, merchant, and Margit Smith, his spouse: son William. Witns.: John M'Kinzie and Allexr. Milne, boath merchants.

25. **Philip,** William, merchant, and Ann Brune, his spouse: daughter Margarat. Witns.: George Simpson, cooper; William Kelly, malster.

26. **Jails,** Geore, souldier in General Howrds Reigtment in Capetain Fisdules Company, and Jean Christie: son James (Mr. Thomas Moses). Witnesses: James Forbes, undertaker; Allexr. Melvill.

Dec. 3. **Forsyth,** Andrew, indweler, and Elizath Lyel, his spouse: son John. Witnesses: John Forbes, maltster; John Lyel, sailor.

24. **Hunter,** John, indweler, and Margarat Melvil: daughter Helen (Mr. Moses). Witnesses: Robert Melvil, merchant, Johon Auld, ye baker, boath burgers in Aberdeen.

31. **Green,** William, squair wright, and Jean Dolas: daughter Katherin. Witnesses: Allexr. Dollass, squair wright; Allexr. Young, barber and wigmaker.

1753.

Jan. 8. **Eliots,** Joesph, barber, and Christian Jaffery, his spouse: twin daughters Christian and Jannet. Witnesses: William Beennet, sadler; James Jaffery, squair wright.

9. **Gregory,** Dr. John, and Lady Betie Forbies, his spouse: son James. Witnesses: Capetain Robert Dundas and James Thomson of Portlethen, Esqr.

14. **Gariouch,** Andrew, merchant, and Mary Gariouch, his lady: twin daughters Ann and Mary. Witnesses: John Elphinston, Allexr. Silver, and George Gariouch, merchants.

16. **Christie,** George, shoe-maker, and Ann Swap, his spouse: son Allexr. Witnesses: Allexr. Christ, farmer; Allexr. Martin, malst[er].

23. **Watts,** John, souldier in General Skeltons Reigment and Colenil Monroaks Compenny, and Elizabath Forbes, his spouse: son John. Witnesses: John Forbes, sailor; James Knows, indweller.

27. **Touch,** William, indweler, and Helien Culie, his spouse: daughter Elspit (Mr. Moses). Witnesses: John Marr, lax fisher; Allexr. Milne, flesher in Pitmuckston.

Feb. 4. **Molyson,** James, sailor, and Jannet Robertson, his spouse: son James. Witnesses: James Robertson and James Smith, boath burgers in Aberdeen.

6. **Coupland,** Charles, merchant, and Margarat Forbes, his spouse: son Patrick. Witnesses: Sir William Forbes; Dene of gild, William Coupland; Patrick Durward, baker.

11. **Gaurdn,** George, black smith, and Agniss Lyon, his spouse: son William. Witnesses: John Colie, snufe-grinder; Harrie Garvick, dyker.

This man lived at Dubie dykes in parish of old Machor.

19. **Willson,** Patrick, burger, and Dorothia Forbes, his wife: twin sons, Archibald and John. Witnesses: Mrs. Badenoch, Mrs. Ross and Mrs. Marget Forbes, sisters of the said Dorothea; Mrs. Loban, maid wife.

24. **Forbes,** George, younger, merchant, and Elizabath Gordon, his spouse: son Thomos. Witnesses: Thomos Burnet of Kirkhill; James Forbes, merchant.

25. **Davidson,** Allexr., flax dreser, and Marget Smith, his spouse: daughter Elizabath. Witnesses: William Proctor, sadler; William Lenord, taylor, burgers.

1753.

Mar. 11. **Loban,** Thomos, black smith, and Margit Smith, his spouse: daughter Christian (Mr. Moses). Witnesses: William Duncan, shoemaker in Spital; William Anderson, quarier.

20. **Innes,** Alexr., comisar clerk, and Ann Ross, his lady: daughter Elizabeth. Witnesses: Dr. Allexr. Ross; Deen of Gild William Coupland, merchant. Allso Patrick Innes, veaver.

1761.

May 8 **Touch,** William, farmer at pynir Nook, and Helien Culie: son Charles, born 4 May. Witns.: Alexr. Mill, flesher; James Williamson.

1766.

April 26. **Barron,** Peter, merchant, and Isobel Meldrum: son George (Mr. Riddoch). Witnesses: George Meldrum, shoemaker; George Cruden, merchant; George Robertson, merchant.

Robertson, George, masson, and Isobel Smith: daughter Isobel (Mr. Riddoch). Witnesses: Alexr. Matthew and David Longlands.

30. **Troup,** James, wool comber, and Helen Martin: daughter Helen. Witnesses: William Gaven, taylor; William Paul.

May 4. **Walker,** Robert, gardener, and Jean Blackhall: son George. Witnesses: George Simpson and James Shand.

8. **Marishal,** James, sailor, and Jean Hardie: son John. Witnesses: George Allan, undertaker; James M'Clain, woolcomber.

Harvie, Alexr., merchant, and Elizabeth : son Alexr. (Mr. Riddoch). Witnesses: Dr. Burnett and his lady.

14. **Knolls,** Robert, and Bathia Brands: son Robert. Witnesses: John Knolls, laxfisher; Robert Duthie, taylor.

Dunbar, James, shoemaker, and Margaret Gordon: son William. Witnesses: William Walker and Alexr. Clerk.

Anderson, Robert, farmer in Foster hill, and Jean Strachan: son John, baptized in Chapel on Sunday.

June 1. **Copland,** George, and Martha Strachan: daughter Elizabeth, born 29 May. Witnesses: Charles Copland, merchant; William Strachan.

9. **Ferrier,** John, book binder, and Theodosia Stewart: son Robert (Mr. Riddoch). Witns.: Daniel Mowat; George Stewart, bookbinder.

14. **Still,** Alexr., and Jean Donald: daughter Margaret (Mr. Riddoch). Witnesses: Robert Donald and George Baxter.

15. **Jackson,** John, hatmaker, and Mary Delatt: daughter Mary. Witnesses: Thomas Skinner, hattmaker; William Paul.

1766.

June 17. **Dun,** John, labouring man, and Marjory Stephen: son William (Mr. Riddoch). Witnesses: John Duncan and John M'kie.

July 13. **Milne,** William, labouring man, and Isobel Metland: daughter, baptised in Chapel on Sunday (Mr. Riddoch).

June 18. **Milne,** John, labouring man, and Margaret Nivie: daughter Isobel (Mr. Riddoch). Witnesses: James Nivie and Peter Couts.

22. **Cruickshank,** Robert, and Elizabeth Gibb: son Lesslie, baptized in Chapel on Sunday (Mr. Riddoch).

23. **Cock,** Thomas, labouring man, and Jean Cock: daughter Jean (Mr. Riddoch). Witnesses: John Marr and James Davidson.

July 25. **Burnett,** George, book binder, and Katherine Andrew: son William (Mr. Riddoch). Witns.: George Burnett and William Andrew.

Aug. 12. **Fordyce,** William, wool comber, and Christian Edward: son James, baptised in Chapel (Mr. Riddoch).

2. **Williamson,** James, in Easter Ardoch: son Robert. Witnesses: John Fordyce of Ardoch and William Donald, Westertown of Achlowness.

20. **Colie,** James, and Janet Gray: bst. son James. Witns.: George Gray, squair wright, undertaker; James Smith, woolcomber.

Pirie, Thomas, squair wright, and Mary Finla: daughter Jean. Witnesses: John Smith, masson; John Brown, taylor.

3. **Mckie,** John, weaver, and Margt. Couts: daughter Jean, baptized in Chapel on Sunday (Mr. Riddoch).

31. **Yool,** Robert, farmer, and Margt. Law: son John (Mr. Riddoch). Witnesses: Robert Wright; John Cormick, sailor.

Cuthbord, Thomas, and Isobel Ross: bastard son Thomas, baptized in Chapel (Mr. Riddoch).

Sept. 3. **Cochrane,** Thomas, painter, and Janet Reid: daughter Jean. Witnesses: Peter Reid, masson; William Smith, blacksmith.

14. **Coban,** James, and Elspet Gray: son William (Mr. Riddoch). Witnesses: William Walker and John Emslie.

16. **Mckie,** Isaac, labouring man, and Janet Mckenzie: son John. Witnesses: John Mckenzie and John Walker.

29. **Lamb,** Alexr., wool comber, and Elspet Sim: son James (Mr. Riddoch). Witnesses: James Lamb and Alexr. Anderson.

21. **Sheives,** James, gardener, and Helen Montgomry: son James, baptized in Chapel on Sunday.

1766.

Sept. 22. **Mill,** Alexr., and Isobel Minro: daughter Jean (Mr. Riddoch). Witnesses: George and William Mill.

29. **Lamb,** Alexr., wool comber, and Elspet Sim: son James (Mr. Riddoch). Witnesses: James Lamb and Alexr. Henderson.

28. **Menzies,** James, labouring-man, and Ann Ferquherson: son John (Mr. Riddoch). Witnesses: John Don and John Bowman.

Oct. 5. **Irons,** John, ropmaker, and Elizabeth Paterson: son David. Witnesses: James Mitchel and George Ross.

15. **Paul,** William, and Hellen McDonald: son John. Witnesses: Alexander Marr and Georg Christ.

Rhind, James, masson, and Margrit Reid, his spous: son James. Witnesses: William Downcan and Thomas Masson.

McWilliam, Peter, Oulcomar, and Agnes Main, his spous: son Alexr., born 8 Jan (Mr. Ruddoch). Witnesses: Alexr. Hai and Alexr. McWilliam.

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1763.

son George

Stirline, born 23 December, 1763. Witnesses: George Meldrum and Malcolm McCook, shoemakers.

1767.

Jan. 8. **Freasure,** Alexander, at Gilkimstoun, and Margret Douglas, his spows: daughter Jean (Mr. Rodoch). Witnesses: John Abrnethie and David Taylor.

10. **Brown,** William, Ule Comer, and Mary Angus, his spows: daughter Elizabeth (Mr. Rudoch). Witnesses: Robert Glenie and Alexr. Aflut.

Feb. 3. **Gordon,** Mr. William, merchant: daughter Kethren. Witnesses: John Muddlton and William Middelton.

4. **McGomrie,** Gorg, at Damhead: son Gorg and daughter Hellen (Mr. Rudoch). Witnesses: Petter Stephen and Thomas Middlton.

Aug. 8. **Glene,** Gilbert, and Ketren Hoge: bastard daughter Jean.

Feb. 6. **Gordon,** George, Rothnie, and his spous, Mrs. Sarah Elifnston: son Alexr. Witnesses: John Eiven of Munil and John Gordon of Cragmayl, Esqr.[1]

[1] With the commencement here of a new Vol. the spelling of Christian names, surnames and designations becomes defective and uncertain.

1767.

Feb. 7. **Robrtson,** James, shoumeker, and his spous, Isabel Gillan: daughter Jean (Mr. Riddoch). Witnesses: Andrew Gray, lintdresar; Alexr. Gillan, lebrar.

15. **Chapman,** George, lebror, and his spous, Jean Roberts: son Androu (Mr. Riddoch). Witnesses: Androu Greay, lintdresar; James Forbes, lebror.

18. **Lisle,** William, merchant, and his spous, Mrs. Anne Grant: daughter Mary (Mr. Riddoch). Witnesses: Allexr. Lesle, merchant; Mr. James Steuart, Esqr.

21. **Rainey,** Robert, wever in old abrdeen, and his spous, Jean Haddan: daughter Jean. Witnesses: Robert Rainey, wever; Peter Haddan, shoumeker in old aberdeen.

24. **Skinar,** Thomas, hatmeker, and his spous, Lile Goudy: son Thomas (Mr. Riddoch). Witnesses: Peter Lesle, hatmeker; David Shireefs, wright.

Mar. 1. **Duffus,** Allexr., merchant, and his spous, Elizabeth Browe: son James. Witnesses: Allexr. Dyce, merchant; James Catto, taidsmon.

4. **Davidson,** John, gardner, and his spous, Anne Donald: son John (Mr. Riddoch). Witnesses: Josop Donald, maltster; Peter Eken, gerdner.

10. **Youl,** Allexr., salmon fisher, and his spous, Elsbet Strachan: son John, baptized in Chapel (Mr. Riddoch).

11. **Innas,** Leous, shoumeker, and his spous, Margrat Ferrier: daughter Margrat. Witnesses: Allexr. Waille, vintner; David Ferrier, couper.

20. **Low,** John, shoumeker, and his spous, Christan Duncan: son Allexr. Witns.: William Strachan, blaksmith; James Walker, taylor.

24. **Farqrharson,** Charles Chalciman [sic], and his spous, Mary Farqrharson: son Allexr. (Mr. Riddoch). Witnesses: Allexr. Farqer and David Stuart, lebrors.

28. **Marr,** Thomas, saer of uod, and his spous, Jean Ritshe: daughter Ketran. Witnesses: Allexr. Ritshe, workman; Allexr. Crukshank, saer of uod.

April 2. **Wright,** Allexr., barber, and his spous, Christen Fitzgrald: son David (Mr. Riddoch). Witnesses: David Langlands, sleter; William Fitzgrald, barber.

1767.

April 3. **Still,** James, and his spous, Helen Willas: daughter Elisbath (Mr. Riddoch). Witnesses:

4. **Bengie,** William, fermer in neuhils, and Janet Webster, his spous: daughter Janet (Mr. Riddoch). Baptized in Chapel.

8. **Harrou,** David, salmon fisher, and Agnis Harrou, his spous: daughter Margrat. Baptised in Chapel.

9. **Morison,** Alexr., wright, and Agnis Youl, his spous: daughter Jannet (Mr. Riddoch). Witnesses: Robert Morison and James Morison, bakers.

10. **Gillespe,** William, sair of uod, and Jannet Cruksha[nk], his spous: daughter Mary (Mr. Riddoch). Witnesses: George Nicol, barber; David Crukshank, taylor.

11. **Burr,** Robert, oulcomer, and Rebake Hiplie, his spous: daughter Efia (Mr. Riddoch). Witnesses: Baxter Burr, coprsmith; William Duthe, maltman.

12. **Hay,** James, mart., and Margrat Ritshe: natural son James (Mr. Riddoch).

Fleiman, William, couper, and Elsbet Colle, his spous: daughter Elsbet. Witnesses: George Colle and Allexr. Colle, maltsters.

14. **Glenay,** John, leberor, and Jean Copland, his spous: son John, baptized in Chapel (Mr. Riddoch).

21. **Marr,** Allexr., flesher, and Shusan Watt, his spous: daughter Margrat (Mr. Riddoch). Witnesses: Allexr. Kemp, wever; Jeames Bruc, gerdnar.

22. **Crukshank,** Robert, mason, and Margrat Davidson, his spous: son Allexr. (Mr. Riddoch). Witnesses: Jeames Grant, leabror; John King, taylor.

29. **Troup,** Mathou, fidlar, and Margrat Meson, his spous: daughter Jean. Witnesses: John Troup, merchant; George Molison, musikel-insrementmeker.

May 3. **Mouat,** Daniel, merchant, and Margrat Stuart, his spous: daughter Jean. Witns.: George Jack, cuper: John Mouat, maltster.

7. **Marr,** Jeams, salman fishar, and Elizabeth Reid, his spous: daughter Mary. Witnesses: Roberte Duncan, merchant, and Allexr. Reid, merchant.

8. **Thomson,** John, oulcoumer, and Elsbet Burnett, his spous: daughter Margrat (Mr. Riddoch). Witnesses: William Jameson and Allexr. Brown, oulcomers.

1767.

May 16. **Bruce,** William, merchant, and Elizabeth Wallace, his spous: son Cosmes (Mr. Riddoch). Witnesses: John Wallace and George Paule, gerdners.

17. **Heders,** Thomas, soulder in the 16 regment of fut, and Mary Heders, his spous: daughter Elizabith, baptized in Chapel (Mr. Riddoch).

Abrnethy, James, merchant, and Janet Gordon, his spous: daughter Elizabeth (Mr. Riddoch). Witnesses: James Gordon, Ardmele; William Thomson, merchant.

18. **Scot,** James, carpnder, and Elizabeth Meson, his spous: daughter Isabel (Mr. Riddoch). Witnesses: John Brebner, littser; John King, taylor.

25. **Smolet,** George, lintdresar, and Anne Mouat, his spous: daughter Helan (Mr. Riddoch). Witnesses: John Robrtson, merchant; Allexr. Chambers, wright.

18. **Gauld,** David, staymeker in the Spetel, and Isabel Cholmers, his spous: son David (Mr. Riddoch). Witnesses: Allexr. Aberdeen and Thomas Jameson, in dwelers in Spitel.

June 6. **Innes,** Allexr., advocat, and Ann Roas, his spous: son Peter (Mr. Riddoch). Witns.: Allexr. Roas, surgan; Leutant. Peter Innes.

13. **Gordon,** Thomas, oulcmar, and Marthou Gordon, his spous: daughter Mary. Witnesses: John Murray, gerdner; George Mouat, ropmekar.

Crukshank, Allexr., saer of uod, and Isabel Duncan, his spous: son David (Mr. Riddoch). Witnesses: David Crukshank, taylor; Thomas Marr, saer of uod.

22. **Forbes,** John, mesan, and Jean Bisset, his spous: daughter Mary (Mr. Riddoch). Witnesses: Allexr. Bannerman and John Bannerman, mesans.

26. **Young,** John, merchant, and Agns Dounie, his spous: son Joshap (Mr. Riddoch). Witnesses: William Littliohn, wright; Allexr. Dounie.

28. **Oglve,** John, mesan, and Jean Forsyth, his spous: son John (Mr. Riddoch). Witns.: James Craig, mesan; Allexr. Duncan, mesan.

July 12. **Souter,** Roberte, seler, and Mary Fresar, his spous: daughter Margrat (Mr. Riddoch). Witnesses: Allexr. Andrson, gardner; Mark Eduart, oulcomer.

1767.

Aug. 16. **Spaldin,** John, gerdner, and Christan Liper, his spous: daughter Isabel.

Imlay, James, gerdner, and Ann Johnstoun, his spous: son Rithart (Mr. Riddoch). Witnesses: William Andrson, stoken dreser; Peter Urqhart.

Mackie, John, flour milert at the Justasmils, and Mary Hay, his spous: son Adam. Witnesses: John Dreime, taylor; James Ramsay, taylor.

21. **Freaser,** Roberte, maltster at Neubreig, and Mary Gooudfollou, his spous: son John. Witnesses: Peter Reid, mesan; Thomas Cooram, penter.

Sept. 2. **Walker,** John, couper, and Elizabeth Walker, his spouse: daughter Anne (Mr. Riddoch). Witnesses: David Walker, cuper; William Ritsheson, tanar.

5. **Thomson,** Peter, taylor, and Margrat Forbes, his spous: son James. Witnesses: Lord Forbes; Androu Titt, orgnast.

6. **Reid,** Peter, mesan, and his spous: daughter Isabel. Witnesses: Thomas Cochran, pentar; Adam Duncan, lintdresar.

7. **Skeien,** George, of Robslau, Esquer, and Jeane Moir, his spous: daughter Margrat. Witnesses: James Moir of Stoniuod; Allexr. Thomson, consulter.

9. **Clark,** Allexr., stoken mertshant, and Elizabeth Grant, his spous: son John. Witnesses: John Clark, advocet; Allexr. Grant of Grantfild, Esqer.

10. **Burnatt,** William, advacat, and Margrat Tailor, his spous: son James. Witnesses: Allexr. Gamek and William Brebner, merchants.

Ferrer, George, seler, and Elizabeth Ferrer, his spous: son George. Witnesses: David Ferrer, cuper; James Ferrer, seler.

15. **McFarland,** Captin James, and Jean Forbes, his spous: son John (Mr. Riddoch). Witnesses: Peter Sandlandns, merchant; Duncan McFarland.

Smith, Charels, comiedan, and Mary Smith, his spous: daughter Jean (Mr. Riddoch). Witnesses: John and Jean Collians, comedens.

24. **Hecctor,** Allexr., meson, and Jean Wilson, his spous: two sons, Allexr. and John (Mr. Riddoch). Witnesses: William Hecctor, meson; Elizabeth Hector.

27. **Milne,** John, meson, and Isabel Vass, his spous: daughter Clementina (Mr. Riddoch). Witnesses: George Melven, gerdanr; John Melven, gerdner.

1767.

Sept. 30. **Vitty,** William, a custamhous ofisar, and Eleanor Vitty, his spous: daughter Anne Elizabeth (Mr. Riddoch). Witnesses: William Dururd of Colts, Esqer; Mrs. Moslay.

Gordon, John, of Craig, Esqer, and Anne Gordon, his spous: son James (Mr. Riddoch). Witnesses: John Gordon, Pitlourg; Francess Skene, Prefeser.

Oct. 5. **Walker,** James, gerdner, and Margrat Shipert, his spous: son James (Mr. Riddoch). Witnesses: George Walker, merchant; James Gafrau, wright.

10. **Hindray,** John, taylor, and Mary Still, his spous: daughter Anne. Witnesses: Robert Still, taylor; John Hindray, wever.

Ross, Joshap, corer, and Anne Minro, his spous: daughter Margrat, baptized in Chapel.

11. **Emslay,** Allexr., induler, and Christan Renay, his spous: daughter Margrat (Mr. Riddoch). Witnesses: William Renay and James Fresar, labrors.

12. **Byle,** John, bookseler, and Elizabeth Jope, his spous: daughter Jean (Mr. Riddoch). Witnesses: George Wilson, merchant; Dr. David Skene.

16. **Milne,** William, shoumeker, and Jean Hunter, his spous: daughter Helen. Witnesses: John Hunter and George Milne, lebrors.

30. **Briger,** John, founder, and Jean Briger, his spous: son John (Mr. Riddoch). Witnesses: George Forbes, founder; William Beard, silk deistr.

Burnett, John, lint dreser, and Margrat Strachan, his spous: son William (Mr. Riddoch). Witnesses: William Crau, lintdreser; William Litsh, lintdreser.

31. **Lumsdan,** Allexr., advecat, and Jean Robertson, his spous: daughter Jean (Mr. Riddoch). Witnesses: John Gordon, Crag; Captin James Robertson.

Nov. 10. **Widne,** John, gerdner, and Rachel Walker: bastard daughter Jean, baptized in Chapel.

Lourans, James, blaksmith, and Katren Lason: bastard son John (Mr. Riddoch). Witnesses: John Lason, taylor; Peter Reid, meson.

15. **Whitt,** Peter, houkmeker, and Margrat Clerihou, his spous: daughter Janet (Mr. Riddoch). Witnesses: Donald Whitt, houkmeker; James Clerehou, wright.

1767.

Nov. 24. **Raitte,** William, merchant, and Sophia Hay, his spous: daughter Isabel. Witnesses: James Jope, merchant; George Walker, merchant.

26. **Cnouls,** Joshap, lebror, and Mary Thomson, his spous: daughter Christen, baptized in Chapel.

Dec. 3. **Clirehou,** James, wright, and Ann Forbes, his spous: son Roberte (Mr. Riddoch). Witnesses: Collan Allan, silver smith; Allexr. Scot, wright.

8. **Greig,** William, cuper, and Anne Bain, his spous: son William. Witnesses: William Lesle, merchant; John Tureff, meson.

20. **Pots,** Francs, oulcomer, and Helen Hay, his spous: daughter Dayana (Mr. Riddoch). Witnesses: John Hay, lebror; John Stuart, lint dresar.

29. **Smith,** Thomas, in Old Aberdeen, and Isabel Smith, his spous: daughter Isabel (Mr. Riddoch). Witnesses: Thomas and James Smith.

23. **Walker,** William, gleifer, and Mary Naghty, his spous: daughter Elizabeth (Mr. Riddoch). Witnesses: John Abrnethe, glover; Gorge Barkla, lebror.

31. **Lesle,** Allexr., merchant in the Grein, and Elizabeth Fleming, his spous: daughter Margrat (Mr. Riddoch). Witnesses: William Lesle, merchant; George Marr, merchant.

Still, William, cuper, and Christan Cupar, his spous: son Gilbert. Witnesses: John and George Still, merchant.

28. **Brow,** William, salmon fisher, and Mary Jafray, his spous: daughter Margrat (Mr. Riddoch). Witnesses: James Ross, sculmester; John Imlay, salmon fisher.

1768.

Jan. 2. **Forast,** James, blaksmith at Gilkmstoun, and Anne Crombe, his spous: daughter Isabel. Witnesses: Allexr. Crombe, fermar; James Forast, blaksmith.

9. **Blak,** James, laberor, and Jean Robe, his spous: son George, baptized in Chapel.

20. **Gordon,** Mr. John, Pitlourg, and Mary Foulrtoun, his spous: son William. Witnesses: George Turner, Mane; John Gordon, Craig.

Bishap, James, merchant, and Ketran Joos, his spous: son James. Witnesses: James Smith, merchant; Roberte Bulmana, merchant.

1768.

Jan. 21. **Burnett,** George, bookbinder, and Ketran Andrew, his spous: daughter Jean (Mr. Riddoch). Witnesses: William Gordon, merchant; Charles Smert, wright.

22. **Grant,** James, sergt. in the first regt. of fut, and Jean Grant, his spous: daughter Isabela (Mr. Riddoch). Witnesses: James and Gorge Wrquhart, Meldrum.

24. **Dyce,** Roberte, merchant, and May Dyce, his spous: son John. Witnesses: Allexr. Dyce, and John Dyce, merchant.

25. **Shipart,** William, wiver, and Anne Davison, his spous: daughter Margrat (Mr. Riddoch). Witnesses: Robert Innas, and Joshap Berrie, merchant.

31. **Proven,** Thomas, shoumker, and Mary Brebner, his spous: daughter Anne (Mr. Riddoch). Witnesses: William Tailor and George Milne, lebrors.

Lilkle, William, selar, and Christan Watson, his spous: daughter Hana (Mr. Riddoch). Witnesses: John Likle, selar: James Watson, advocat.

Feb. 16. **Turner,** Roberte, shiraf dept., and Marthou Turner, his spous: son John (Mr. Riddoch). Witnesses: Androu Turner and William Mitshel, milner.

15. **Wilson,** Francs, lebror, and Elsbet Strachan, his spous: son Charls (Mr. Riddoch). Witnesses: Charels Wilson, shoemeker; Gorge Aldman, meson.

18. **Palmer,** William, lebror, and Margrat Palmer, his spous: son William, baptized in Chapel (Mr. Riddoch).

19. **Brown,** James, sleter, and Ketran Ross, his spous: daughter Ketran (Mr. Riddoch). Witnesses: George Christe and John King.

21. **Ross,** Allexr., merchant, and Jean Cushne, his spous: son Allexr. (Mr. Riddoch). Witnesses: Allexr. Meson, prenter; John Sandrson, merchant.

Auld, James, baker, and Isabel Stot, his spous: son Joshap (Mr. Riddoch). Witnesses: Joshaph Wilkans and John Stott, couper.

23. **Fergeson,** John, fleshar, and Janet Martin, his spous: daughter Elizabeth. Witnesses: Thomas Simson and Allexr. Duffas, fleshers.

Jan. 15. **Craik,** John, shipmester, and Mary Thomson, his spous: son Androu. Witnesses: Androu Tait, orgnast; Patrek Thomson, shipmaster.

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Feb. 28. **McWilliam,** Peter, oulcomer, and Agnus Thain, his spous: daughter Christan (Mr. Riddoch). Witnesses: Allexr. Thain and Allexr. McWilliam, lebrain men.

Mar. 3. **Thomson,** William, merchant, and Jean Cutter, his spous: son James (Mr. Riddoch). Witnesses: James Johnstoun, merchant; Peter Proctor, sadler.

12. **Walker,** James, leberor, and Elspet Watt, his spous: daughter Margrat. Witnesses: James Johnstoun and Peter Smith, leberors.

15. **Izat,** David, shipmester, and Jean Izat, his spous: son Lowas (Mr. Riddoch). Witnesses: Lowas Mouray, ventner; John Rinten, shipmaster.

Ferwoder, James, capnder, and Mary Ferwoder, his spous: son Allexr. (Mr. Riddoch). Witnesses: Thomas Proven, shoumekar; William Taylor, carpndar.

31. **Chambers,** Chairels, wright, and Elizabeth Auld, his spous: son Charels (Mr. Riddoch). Witnesses: George Theain, wright; William Thom, wright.

April 6. **Harvay,** Allexr., wright, and Elizabeth Hervay, his spous: daughter Mary (Mr. Riddoch). Witnesses: Dr. Androu Burnett and Dr. Thomas Leinch.

7. **Farqrharson,** Donald, labror, and Janet Clark, his spous: daughter Barbra, baptized in Chapel.

17. **Troup,** James, oulcomar, and Helan Martin, his spous: son Allexr. (Mr. Riddoch). Witnesses: Allexr. Martin and John Watt, leberors.

Lesle, George, blaksmith, and Mary Brown, his spous: son Allexr., baptized in Chapel.

22. **Copland,** George, coupr, and Marthou Strachan, his spous: son George. Witnesses: Charels Copland, merchant; William Strachan, blaksmith.

24. **Robertson,** George, mason, and Isabel Smith, his spous: daughter Mary. Witnesses: David Langlins, sleter: John Milne, mason.

Merans, Benjman, lebror, and Isabel Reidal, his spous: daughter Margrat. Witnesses: John Brown and Allexr. Glenny, lebrors.

Craig, William, steblar, and Anne Bain, his spous: son William (Mr. Riddoch). Witnesses: James Roger and James Johnstoun, steblrs in the Galegate.

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April 29. **Sney,** Thomas, servant to John Euen, and Jeane Davidson, his spous: son John (Mr. Riddoch). Witnesses: Thomas Fergeson and George Davidson, wrights.

May 1. **Crukshank,** William, tayler, and Mary Crukshank, his spous: son John. Witnesses: William Leanerd, tayler: John Crukshank, blaksmith.

2. **Mitchell,** William, milnar, and Janet Turner, his spous: son David and daughter Helen (Mr. Riddoch). Witnesses: Dr. David Skein; Robert Turner, Shirrif Substed.

15. **Milne,** John, mason, and Elizabeth Hittan, his spous: daughter Arsken (Mr. Riddoch). Witnesses: James Hector, mason; James Robertson, wiver.

20. **Chisam,** Mathou, lebror, and Janet Reid, his spous: son George. Witnesses: James Muray, taylor; Charels Willson, shoumeker.

22. **Leslie,** Allexr., apothary, and Mary Arbuthnot, his spous: daughter Jeane (Mr. Riddoch). Witnesses: James Johnstoun and James Leslie, merchants.

June 1. **Erven,** John, Munil, and Margrat Chambers, his spous: daughter Rachel (Mr. Riddoch). Witnesses: Charels Ervin, Esqer.; James Rose, Esqr.

Chambers, James, shoumeker, and Anne Kemp: bastard son James (Mr. Riddoch). Witnesses: George Paton and James Kemp, shoumekers.

5. **Reid,** James, lebrar, and Elizabeth Pet, his spous: daughter Elizabeth. Witnesses: Roberte Erven and John King.

12. **Curr,** James, shoumeker, and Isabel Neil, his spous: daughter Jean. Witnesses: Malkem McCuk, shoumeker; John Neil, wright.

16. **Lamb,** Allexr., oulcomer, and Elspet Sim, his spous: son John (Mr. Riddoch). Witnesses: James Lamb, taylor; John Lamb, wright.

26. **Andrson,** Allexr., labror, and Isabel Davidson, his spous: son John (Mr. Riddoch). Witnesses: John Lourans and John Prot, oulcomar.

Garrioch, Allexr., merchant, and Anne Bennarman, his spous: son George. Witnesses: Allexr. Bennerman and Allexr. Milne, mertsants.

July 3. **Fisher,** Allexr., comeden, and Mary Fisher, his spous: daughter Mary, born 22 June. Witnesses: Francs Peacok, dancin master; William Litteliohn, wright.

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July 6. **Bartzla,** John, wiver, and Ann Smith, his spous: son George. Witnesses: John Smith, wiver; John Kimla, wiver.

8. **Euan,** John, saer of uod, and Margrat Strachan, his spous: daughter Christan. Witnesses: James Finla and Charels Robertson, selers.

13. **Milne,** William, lebror, and Elizabeth Malkom, his spous: daughter Isabel (Mr. Riddoch). Witnesses: James Milne, shoumeker; Chearls Willson, lebror.

Leslie, William, merchant, and Anne Grant, his spous: son Allexr. (Mr. Riddoch). Witnesses: Captin Grant, Grants Feild; Allexr. Leslie, Junior, merchant.

19. **Blak,** Adam, oulcomar, and Jean Sanjster, his spous: son George (Mr. Riddoch). Witnesses: James Gleas, skinnr; William Blak, laberor.

17. **Shipart,** Thomas, couper, and Jeane Baxtr, his spous: son Allexr. Theador Thomas. Witnesses: Thomas Bennerman, merchant; Roberte Turnar, Shiraf Substetit.

Johnstoun, William, gardnar at Kingsuals, and Helen Make, his spous: daughter Isabel, baptized in Chapel (Mr. Riddoch).

20. **Duff,** James, and Margrat Angus: bastard son John. Witnesses: Allexr. Angus, gerdnar; George Angus, selar.

Bain, William, chalsiman, and Isabel Sim, his spous: daughter Margrat. Witnesses: George Dason, nealmeker; James Fresar, labror.

18. **Martin,** James, merchant, and Mart. Burnott, his spous: son Allexr. (Mr. Riddoch). Witnesses: Allexr. Walker, merchant, Peter Reid, merchant.

22. **Cochran,** Hugh, shipmaster, and Marthou Gibbons, his spouse: daughter Jean. Witnesses: Allexr. Gibbons, and James Gibbons, carpnders.

29. **Browne,** John, sauer of uod, and Jean Mearns, his spous: son George (Mr. Riddoch). Witnesses: John Edamson, shoumeker; William Marten, wright.

Aug. 4. **Moslay,** James, mr. of the silk facttre, and Anne Moslay, his spous: daughter Mary (Mr. Riddoch). Witnesses: William Vity, custamhous ofiser; William Brebner, merchant.

5. **Leslie,** Allexr., laberor, and Christan Gren, his spous: son James (Mr. Riddoch). Witnesses: William Shau and Anne Minro.

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Aug. 7. **Moil,** Roberte, laberor, and Girsald Grant, his spous: daughter Hellen. Witnesses: James Emslay and Allexr. Gibb, laberors.

Low, John, shoumeker, and Christan Duncan, his spous: daughter Agnes (Mr. Riddoch). Witnesses: William Strachan, shoumeker; James Kith, fermer in Forsterhill.

10. **Mckinse,** John, seler, and Margrat Gibbons, his spous: daughter Mary (Mr. Riddoch). Witnesses: Allexr. Gibbons and James Gibbons, carpnders.

12. **Ferrir,** John, book bainder, and Thedeosias Steuart, his spous: son Roberte (Mr. Riddoch). Witnesses: John Walker, merchant; Charels Smart, wright.

15. **Gibbons,** James, shipmaster, and Sufoia Gibbons, his spous: daughter Janet (Mr. Riddoch). Witnesses: Arther Gibbons, uriter; William Vity, controler to the custamhous.

17. **Skeien,** George, Robslaw, Esqr., and Jean Moir, his spous: daughter Helen. Witnesses: James Moiar of Stoneuoode; Allexr. Thomson, consulter.

28. **Leitth,** John, barber, and Isabel Wilson, his spous: son Patrek (Mr. Riddoch). Witnesses: Patrek Gordon, sedlar; John McGie, ventner.

Sept. 13. **Duncan,** George, fermar, and Anne Touch, his spous: son Allexr. Witnesses: Roberte Duncan, fermar; John Duncan, mason.

25. **Sheifas,** John, gardnar at Cloghill, and Christan Hogg, his spous: daughter Mary, baptized in Chapel (Mr. Riddoch).

Leslie, Patrek, hatmeker, and Jean Elfnston, his spous: daughter Jean (Mr. Riddoch). Witnesses: Patrek Leslie, hatmeker; Allexr. Milne, merchant.

28. **Gordon,** George, Rothney, and Sarah Elphinston, his spouse: daughter Mary. Witnesses: John Irvine of Auchmunziel; Alexander Garrioch, merchant.

Oct. 1. **Moir,** Allexr., shoumeker, and Anne Volam, his spous: son John (Mr. Riddoch). Witnesses: William Volam and John Robertson, weveros.

13. **Coachrin,** Thomos, painter, and Jannet Reid, his spous: son Walter (Mr. Riddoch). Witnesses: Peter Reid, mason; Adam Duncan, leint dresar.

16. **Youl,** Peter, steblar, and Mary Lane, his spous: daughter Margrat (Mr. Riddoch). Witnesses: Roberte Wright, shoumeker; Allexr. Simers, gardner.

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Oct. 20. **Still,** John, merchant, and Jean Smith, his spous: son John (Mr. Riddoch). Witnesses: Allexr. Smith, merchant; William Still, couper.

23. **Forbes,** Francis, messenger, and Betty Fresar, his spous: daughter Betty. Witnesses: John Forbes, shoumaker; John Jeafray, veaver.

24. **Niesbit,** James, porterat painter, and Margrat Petray, his spous: daughter Isabel. Witnesses: Dr. John Memes and Roberte Mason, merchant.

26. **Marrnay,** John, barber, and Anne Lindsay: bastard daughter Anne. Witnesses: James Ross, Sherafisofsir; John King, taylor.

30. **McKenzie,** David, corier, and Jean Spenc, his spous: daughter Margrat. Witnesses: Allexr. McDonald, blaksmith; James Blak, blaksith.

Nov. 1. **Mitchal,** John, stabler, and Margrat Mitchal, his spous: daughter Mary, baptized in Chapel (Mr. Riddoch).

Smith, Peter, ass fidster, and Mary Moddy, his spous: daughter Anne (Mr. Riddoch). Witnesses: George Angus, ooulcomar; William Sankster, vever.

3. **Smith,** John, blaksmith, and Margrat Milne, his spous: son Charels (Mr. Riddoch). Witnesses: Chairels Byd and John Barklay, wever.

18. **Allan,** James, corear, and Jean Steven, his spous: daughter Helen (Mr. Riddoch). Witnesses: William Stiven and James Bruc, wrights.

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Nov. **Gellan,** Allexr., flesher, and Janet Walas, his spous: son Allexr. (Mr. Riddoch). Witnesses: Allexr. Ross, flesher; John Walas, shoumeker.

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Nov. 19. **Gellan,** Allexr., flesher, and Janet Walas, his spous: daughter Shousan (Mr. Riddoch). Witnesses: Allexr. Ritshe and Allexr. Gray, porters at the shor.

20. **Gordon,** Carels, baker at Gilkmstoun, and Bathiau Gordon, his spous: son George. Witnesses: George Simson, indueler: William Logon, dyster at Gilkcemstoun.

21. **Sankster,** John, shoumeker, and Elsbet Fergeson, his spous: son Allexr. Witnesses: Allexr. Lighten, indueler; Allexr. Fergeson, taylor.

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Nov. 22. **Couper,** George, oulcomer, and Margrat Malkam, his spous: daughter Katren (Mr. Riddoch). Witnesses: Josaph Dour, oulcomer; Allexr. Smairt, laberor.

24. **Burnet,** William, advecat, and Margrat Taylor, his spous: daughter Margrat. Witnesses: John Taylor, advecat; Allexr. Gamek, marchant.

27. **Hector,** Allexr., mason, and Jean Wilson, his spous: son Gorge (Mr. Riddoch). Witnesses: William Hector, mason: James Hector, mason.

Dec. 2. **Cambron,** James, labror, and Margrat McChain, his spous: daughter Jeane (Mr. Riddoch). Witnesses: James Ross, taylor; Allexr. Sudrland, ooulcomar.

5. **Sudrland,** Peter, marchant at Neubrige, and Isabel Roust, his spous: daughter Isabel (Mr. Riddoch). Witnesses: George Walker, gardner; William Abernethie, laberor.

2. **Bennerman,** Allexr., and Mary Gordon, his spous: son Thomas. Witns.: Thomas Gordon, Banchary; Thomas Bennerman, merchant.

5. **Rob,** George, laberor in the threeduay, and Elspet Gerard, his spous: son Jeams. Baptized in Chapel.

Oct. 9. **Melchie,** William, laberor at Neu Brigh, and Margrat Layon, his spous: son Charls (Mr. Riddoch). Witnesses: William Layon, farmar; Jean Layon.

Dec. 9. **Euan,** Allexr., labror at Neu Brig, and Margrat Wobster, his spous: son James (Mr. Riddoch). Witnesses: Peter Sudrland, merchant; James Mear, ston cutter.

11. **Milne,** George, shop keper, and Margrat Hindrson, his spous: son Richard (Mr. Riddoch). Witnesses: James Ross, shiraf ofecer; Charels Kingour, tabakemanefactror.

Byle, James, fermar at Monthole, and Jean Ede, his spous: son John (Mr. Riddoch). Witnesses: Allexr. Thomson, farmer; John Byle, fermar.

18. **Smart,** John, wright, and Mary Keith, his spouse: son Roberte (Mr. Riddoch). Witnesses: Roberte Memas, coupar; Charls Smart, wright.

20. **Saungster,** John, mason, and Elspet Hinderson, his spous: daughter Shousan. Witns.: William Shirafs, beker; Christan Shipart.

21. **Camron,** Hugh, qarer, and Isabel Mcferson, his spous: daughter Mary. Baptized in Chapel.

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Jan. 1. **Masson,** Allexr., mason, and Jean Watt: bastard son Charels. Witnesses: William Fullie, stebler; William Watt, shoumeker.

Kemlo, Allexr., shoumeker, and Margrat Mathouson, his spous: son Allexr. (Mr. Riddoch). Witnesses: George Paton, shoumeker; Roberte Chambrs, book binder.

Dec. 31. **Mosman,** Thomas, advocot, and Mary Hay, his spouse: daughter Isabella, born 27 Dec. Witnesses: William Wrquhart of Meldrum; Charels Gordon of Abergelde.

Jan. 3. **Gray,** William, indueler in the hardget, and Hindrat Campbel, his spous: son Cherals. Baptised in Chapel (Mr. Riddoch).

4. **Reid,** William, gerdner, and Margrat Wobster, his spous: daughter Isabel (Mr. Riddoch). Witnesses: Peter Wobster, gerdnar; John Milne, steblar.

10. **Drimay,** Allexr., couper, and Isabel Duncan, his spous: daughter Isabel (Mr. Riddoch). Witnesses: John Sim, milart; James Selbe, dayster at neubrige.

23. **Turnar,** John, Turnarhall, and Elisbath Wrquhart, his lady: daughter Isabella (Mr. Riddoch). Witnesses: George Turnar, Mene; William Wrquhart, Meldrum.

Anderson, John, wright at Gilkemstoun, and Jean Jack, his spous: daughter Elisbath. Baptized in Chapel (Mr. Riddoch).

McKielar, Roberte, merchant, and Jean Supar, his spous: daughter Anne (Mr. Riddoch). Witnesses: Dr. Livenston; Peter Super, marchant.

24. **Jeant,** Thomas, labror, and Margrat Davidson, his spous: daughter Shusan. Baptized in Chapel (Mr. Riddoch).

25. **Walker,** William, glover at Gilkemstoun, and Mary Naighty, his spous: son John. Baptized in Chapel (Mr. Riddoch).

29. **Kemp,** James, shoumeker, and Margrat Duncan, his spous: son Allexr. (Mr. Riddoch). Witnesses: George Lesle, marchent; George Paton, shoumeker.

Feb. 2. **Leslie,** Allexr., merchint in the Grein, and Elisabeth Fliman, his spous: daughter Marjory (Mr. Riddoch). Witnesses: William Leslie, marchant; Bilef Cusnie, merchant.

3. **Robertson,** Alexr., wiver, and Isabel Freman, his spous: son James (Mr. Riddoch). Witnesses: John Couts, gardner; James Troup, merchant.

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Feb. 5. **Makie,** John, flour millart at the Justice Mills, and Mary Hay, his spous: daughter Jeane. Baptized in Chapel.

12. **Chapman,** George, labror, and Jeane Robert, his spous: son William, born the 11th (Mr. Riddoch). Witnesses: John Cromby and Allexr. Watt, laberors.

13. **Reid,** Allexr., gerdner, and Ketran MakGrigar, his spous: son Allexr. Witnesses: Allexr. Marten, flesher; George Nicol, laberor.

17. **Peterson,** Patrek, shipmaster, and Margret Stellas: son Patrek. Baptised in Chapel.

19. **Thomson,** Peter, taylor, and Margrat Forbes, his spous: son Peter. Witnesses: Androu Taitt, orgnost; George Knowls, a young Divin.

Mar. 12. **Messar,** Captn. James, and Ketran Douglas, his spous: daughter Jeane. Witnesses: William Urquhart of Meldrum; George Moir of Scotstoun.

Robertson, George, merchant, and Anne Allan, his spouse: son James. Witns.: James Robertson, uiver; Collan Allan, silver smith.

13. **Walker,** George, dayster, and Isobel Fordyce, his spous: son William, born the 8th (Mr. Riddoch). Witnesses: Allexr. Walker, merchant; Doctor Alexr. Rose.

16. **Massie,** James, wheeluright at the Bou Brige, and Margrat Renaie, his spous: daughter Ketran. Witnesses: John Smith, plastrar; John Watt, gerdnar.

18. **Milne,** Thomas, wever, and Isabel Murdoch, his spous: daughter Margrat (Mr. Riddoch). Witnesses: James Milne, laberor; William Touch.

Balmano, Roberte, merchant, and Elisabeth Buchan, his spous: daughter Margrat, born the 12th. Witnesses: William Innas, leint dresar; William Colle, selar.

Cleareheu, James, wright, and Anne Forbes, his spouse: daughter Mary (Mr. Riddoch). Witnesses: Collan Allan, silver smith; George Walker, Ofeser to the Costmhous.

27. **Steuard,** Allexr., mason, and Jean Johnstoun: bastard son James, baptized in Chapel.

Marten, William, wright, and Margrat Duncan, his spous: daughter Jean (Mr. Riddoch). Witnesses: William Duncan and George Duncan, shoumekers.

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April 2. **Fresar,** Alexr., taylor at Gilkemstoun, and Margrat Duglas, his spous: daughter Elisabeth. Baptized in Chapel.

5. **Grig,** William, cuper, and Ann Bain, his spous: daughter Anne (Mr. Riddoch). Witnesses: John Turaf, mason; Roberte Moir, merchant.

6. **Troup,** Mathou, mouishan, and Margrat Maser, his spous: son Johnathen (Mr. Riddoch). Witnesses: William Troup and John Duglas, dancen masters.

10. **Mouray,** Roberte, selar, and Margrat Donald, his spous: son Allexr. Witnesses: James Thomson, taylor; George Jack, couper.

13. **Heywood,** Hendray, soulder in the Sevent Regment of fot, and Elisabeth Haywood, his spous: son John. Witnesses: Isabel Dason and Isabel Couts.

15. **Still,** Allexr., fleshar, and Jean Donald, his spous: son George (Mr. Riddoch). Witns.: William Donald, fermar; John Still, flesher.

16. **Scott,** Mr. John, minister, and Elisabeth Gordon, his spous: son Roberte (Mr. Riddoch).

23. **MakBain,** James, laberor, and Elspat MakFerson, his spous: son William (Mr. Riddoch). Witnesses: Hector Dallas and John King.

16. **Reid,** Allexr., laksfisher, and Ann Harrow, his spous: son Roberte, baptised in Chapel (Mr. Riddoch).

26. **Bengie,** William, fermar in Newhilles, and Elspet Wobster, his spous: son Allexr., baptized in Chapel.

Dyce, John, merchant, and Betty Thomson: bastard daughter Bathia. Witnesses: Roberte Morison, baker; Thomas Kinnard, drayr to Mr. Dyce.

28. **Emslau,** Frances, corer, and Jeane Abernathy, his spouse: daughter Jeane (Mr. Riddoch). Witnesses: Charels Emslau, corer; John Abernathy, glover.

May 2. **Couts,** David, laberor, and Jean Mitshal, his spous: son John (Mr. Riddoch). Witnesses: David Jeans, shoumeker; Makdonald, labror.

4. **Copland,** George, couper, and Marthou Strachan, his spous: son Peter (Mr. Riddoch). Witnesses: Chearles Freasor, tealr to the Bank; William Strachan, blaksmith.

6. **Craige,** Thomas, selar, and Jeane Craige, his spous: son Alexr. Witnesses: George Proctter, fleshar; Alexr. Craige, taylor.

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May 6. **Hendry,** John, taylor, and Mary Still, his spous: son Roberte. Witnesses: Roberte Still, taylor; John Hendry, wiver.

Coule, William, wright, and Jean Smart, his spous; daughter Nancs (Mr. Riddoch). Witnesses: Charels Smart and John Smart, wrights.

10. **Milne,** John, brikmeker, and Margrat Niven, his spous: son Samual (Mr. Riddoch). Witnesses: James Niven and Roberte Couts, laberors.

13. **Matland,** Thomas, laberor, and Helen Hay, his spous: son Robert (Mr. Riddoch). Witnesses: Chrisan Hay and John King.

Young, John, merchant, and Agnes Douney, his spous: son William (Mr. Riddoch). Witnesses: William Litliohn, wright; James Mason, merchant.

15. **Eelbeck,** Hendray, lapidary, and Mary Eelbeck, his spous: daughter Jeane (Mr. Riddoch). Witnesses: William Forbes and James Duruard, barbers. Born the 2nd.

Davidson, John, gardner, and Ann Donald, his spous: son William (Mr. Riddoch). Witnesses: John Cadenhed, gerdnar; Joshap Donald, maltman.

Arteis, Edward, saeir of wood, and Sarah Arteis, his spouse: son William (Mr. Riddoch). Witnesses: John Grige, mason; James Ross, wever.

20. **Burnatt,** George, book binder, and Ketran Androu, his spous: son Allexr. (Mr. Riddoch). Witnesses: George Jack, couper; William Luckie, shoumaker.

26. **Poul,** Benjman, servant to Dr. Allexr. Bennarman, and Ketran Poul, his spous: daughter Ketran (Mr. Riddoch). Witnesses: William Boouth, shoumeker; Allexr. Emslau, labror.

28. **Innas,** Lowas, shoumeker, and Margrat Ferrear, his spous: daughter Elisabeth. Witnesses: Thomas Fergeson, wright; George Bett, blaksmith.

Mason, Allexr., prenter, and Mary Minro: bastard son John, baptized in Chapel.

June 1. **Robertson.**

3. **Lumsdon,** Allexr., advocat, and Jean Robertson, his spous: son Allexr. (Mr. Riddoch). Witnesses: Provest Allexr. Robertson; Allexr. Carnige, Toun clark.

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June 11. **Greean,** Joshap, neil maker, and Margrat Greean, his spous: son William, baptized in Chapel (Mr. Riddoch).

Thomson, William, merchant, and Jean Cuttar, his spous: son Thomas (Mr. Riddoch). Witnesses: Chairlas Copland, merchant; Peter Procktor, sedlar.

13. **Duncan,** John, labror, and Elspet Allan, his spous: daughter Mary, baptized in Chapel (Mr. Riddoch).

14. **Byle,** John, bookselr, and Elisabeth Jopp, his spous: son John (Mr. Riddoch). Witnesses: Thomas Petrson, master of the Englis Coul; Ritshard Hyd, dayr.

17. **Innas,** Allexr., advocat, and Anne Ross, his spous: daughter Ketran (Mr. Riddoch). Witnesses: Dr. Allexr. Roas; James Farqharson, younger, of inray.

21. **Walker,** John, coupar, and Bety Blur, his spous: son John (Mr. Riddoch). Witnesses: John Riven, selair; Mary Mouat.

24. **Roberson,** James, shoumaker, and Isabel Gellan, his spous: daughter Isabel (Mr. Riddoch). Witnesses: Alexr. Gellan, labourer; Androu Naughty, labourer.

Forast, James, blacksmith, and Ann Cromby, his spous: daughter Janet. Witnesses: George Milne, showmaker; Robert Simm, milart.

25. **Durward,** William, merchant, and Ann Burnet, his spous: daughter Ann (Mr. Riddoch). Witnesses: Dr. Livenston and Charels Burnat of Caskebeen.

28. **Alexander,** Alexr., merchant, and Rachel Chambers, his spous: son Allexr. (Mr. Riddoch). Witnesses: John Irvine, Achmunnzile; Patrek Leslie, hat maker.

July 1. **Ross,** William, laberor, and Margrat Mckingie, his spous: son Alexr., baptized in Chapel.

7. **Sutter,** Robert, selair, and Mary Fresur, his spous: daughter Helan. Witnesses: Alexr. Anderson, gardner; John Cloudsle, selair.

Garrioch, Alexr., merchant, and Ann Bennerman his spous: daughter Margrat. Witnesses: Alexr. Bennerman and Alexr. Milne, merchants.

13. **Shand,** John, laberor, and Elisabeth Shand, his spous: daughter Annabella (Mr. Riddoch). Witnesses: James Brown, sclater; Frances Smith, sclater.

12. **Woodward,** George, suldier, and Hellan Strachan, his spous: daughter Annalisbath. Witnesses: Alexr. Mathous, boatman; John King, taylor.

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July 3. **Irons,** John, ropmaker, and Elisabeth Petterson, his spous: son John. Witnesses: James Irons and George Taylor, mason.

18. **Ross,** Alexr., suldier, and Christain Minro, his spous: daughter Elisabeth.

22. **Arskin,** Thomas, selar, and Margrat Duncan, his spous: son David. Witnesses: John McDonald, scool master in Fitty; Magnes Haruel, selar.

27. **Burnatt,** Alexr., selar, and Margrat Gordon, his spous: son Alexr. Witnesses: Alexr. Gordon, merchant; Fanne Burnatt.

30. **Mouat,** Daniel, merchant, and Margrat Stuart, his spous: daughter Jean. Witnesses: George Jack, couper; Anne Fullerton.

Aug. 1. **Simson,** William, taylor, and Elisabeth Smith, his spous: daughter Isabel (Mr. Riddoch). Witnesses: James Simson and Joseph Simson, merchants.

7. **Merchand,** Richad, copper smith, and Jean Blackhal, his spous: son Richard. Witnesses: Thomas Chessie, coppersmith; John Gallowa, barber.

8. **Nicol,** John, owl comber, and Elspat Lilly, his spous: son John Witnesses: Gilbart Clark, taylor; Archbald Wenchestar, gardner.

10. **Thom,** James, messon, and Jean Berry, his spous: son George. Witnesses: Alexr. Edward, hecklar; William Hinderson, wiver.

11. **Ferrear,** James, selar, and Settan Smith, his spous: son James. Witnesses: David Ferrear, coupar; George Ferrear, selar.

12. **Turnar,** Robert, Shirif Substut, and Marthen Turnar, his spous: son George, born the 2nd. Witnesses: George Turnar of Maney; James Ramsy, advocate.

13. **Gordon,** John, Craig, and Ann Gordon, his spous: daughter Mary. Witnesses: George Gordon, merchant; Dr. David Skin.

Robertson, James, inkeper, and Margrat Rennay, his spous: daughter Jean (Mr. Riddoch). Witnesses: Thomas Brouc, steblar; William Andrson, stoken dresar.

19. **Milne,** Alexr., laberor, and Isabel Minro, his spouse: daughter Agnes, baptized in Chapel (Mr. Riddoch).

20. **Smith,** Alexr., merchant, and Anna Forbas, his spous: daughter Anna, born the 15th. Witns.: John Still and John Smith, merchants.

Irvine, John, Auchmunzel, and Margrat Chalmers, his spous: son William, born the 20th (Mr. Riddoch). Witnesses: Captn. William Baxter; Alexr. Alexander, merchant.

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Aug. 22. **Reid,** Peter, messon, and Margrat Cochran, his spous: son Thomas. Witnesses: Adam Duncan, hecklar; William Smith, blacksmith.

23. **Young,** John, merchant, and Margrat Smith, his spous: son John. Witnesses: John Euan, merchant; Adam Duncon, hecklar.

Allon, Gollon, silver smith, and Anna Irven, his spous: daughter Sarah, born 21 Aug. Witnesses: Frances Gordon, shoumaker; James Gordon, silver smith.

27. **Finlater,** Alexr., shoumaker, and Elspat Ducked, his spouse: son Alexr., born the 25th (Mr. Riddoch). Witnesses: James Lourinstin, fermar; James Robertson, merchant.

Brown, James, bleacher, and Jean Beverlay, his spouse: daughter Jean (Mr. Riddoch). Witnesses: James Houg, oulcomber; Arther Scorge, masson.

28. **Stirlin,** William, selar, and Christan Meldram, his spouse: son James, born the 20th (Mr. Riddoch). Witnesses: George and James Meldram, taners.

29. **Re,** John, oul comber, and Mary Doure, his spouse: son James, born the 28th (Mr. Riddoch). Witnesses: Andrew Robertson, laberor; James Taus, oul comber.

2. **Wright,** Alexr., barber, and Christian Fitzgrald, his spous: son Robert (Mr. Riddoch). Witnesses: Robert Wright, shoumaker; David Langlance, sclater.

Sept. 2. **Golespy,** William, saier, and Janet Cruckshank, his spous: son William, born the 1st. Witnesses: William Duthy, maltster; George Golespy, burn man.

3. **Spaldin,** John, laberor, and Christian Lepar, his spouse: son Robert, born 31 Aug., baptized in Chapel.

5. **Smith,** Thomas, indweler, and Isabel Brown, his spous: daughter Elisabeth, born the 1st (Mr. Riddoch). Witnesses: Thomas and James Smith, indwelers.

Beard, Charles, silkdier, and Jean Mathousin, his spous: son William, born the 4th (Mr. Riddoch). Witnesses: William Beard, calandr keper; James Clerehou, wright.

8. **Wildguse,** Robert, silversmith, and Margrat Edam, his spous: son James, born the 5th. Witnesses: James Wildguse, silversmith; George Mathen, masson.

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Sept. 10. **Gordon,** Thomas, oulcomber, and Marthou Gordon, his spouse: son Archbald, born the 9th, and baptized in Chapel (Mr. Riddoch).

16. **Moirison,** David, advicate, and Isabel Donalson: bastard daughter Ann. Witnesses: William Beard, sikdier; John King, taylor.

23. **Grant,** John, coppersmith, and Helan Sha: son John, baptized in Chapel.

29. **Shivas,** James, gardner, and Jean Black, his spous: daughter Christian, baptized in Chapel (Mr. Riddoch).

10. **Vitty,** William, Custom house Oficir, and Eleanor Vitty, his spous: daughter Jean, born the 8th (Mr. Riddoch). Witnesses: Sir William Johnston of Hiltoun and his laidy.

Oct. 8. **Bowth,** James, oulcomber, and Elisabeth Bowth, his spouse: son James, born 25 Sept. (Mr. Riddoch). Witnesses: John Abil, oulcomber; James Dason, hatmaker.

1. **Black,** Adam, oulcomber, and Jean Sangster, his spouse: son William, baptized in Chapel.

Lefevers, Samuel, silkdresser, and Elisabeth Sangster, his spous: daughter Ann, baptized in Chapel.

15. **Morison,** John, quarior, and Mary Corbat, his spous: son John, born the 12th, and baptized in Chapel.

Reid, John, wiver near Lonhead, and Elisabeth Wright, his spous: son James, born the 13th (Mr. Riddoch). Witnesses: James Johnstoun, bleacher; Roberte Midlar, sauer.

20. **Simpson,** John, blacksmith, and Margat Brown, his spous: son James, born the 18th (Mr. Riddoch). Witnesses: William Beath and David Morgan, blacksmiths.

22. **Morison,** Alexr., wright, and Angis Youl, his spous: son Alexr. (Mr. Riddoch). Witnesses: Robert and James Morison, bakers.

23. **Skein,** George, of Robeslau, and Jean Moir, his spous: daughter Ketran, born the 20th. Witnesses: James Moir, Stonewod; Mr. Thomson, consultar.

27. **Tait,** Andrew, orgeanest, and , his spouse: son Andrew, born the 25th. Witnesses: Andrew Thomson and Alexr. Dyce, merchant.

29. **London,** John, laberor, and Elisabeth Gordon, his spouse: son George, born the 26th, and baptized in Chapel.

30. **Cram,** John, cork cutter, and Jean Cram, his spous: son Archibald, born the 28th (Mr. Riddoch). Witnesses: Alexr. Ross, ventner; Jean Roye.

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Oct. 31. **Makdonald,** John, laberor, and Janet Shisam, his spous: daughter Ketran, born the 22nd, baptized in Chapel.

30. **Waildgous,** James, silversmith, and Trsay Makgriger, his spous: son James, born the 29th. Witnesses: Robert Waildgous, silversmith; Thomas Waildgous, merchant

Nov. 1. **Gill,** Alexr., masson, and Janet Nicol, his spous: daughter Margrat, born the 1st, and baptized in Chapel.

5. **Anderson,** Alexr., merchant, and Effie Burr, his spous: daughter Lillias, born the 3rd. Witnesses: William Burr; Alexr. Stephen, merchant.

Makcleran, John, quarier, and Hindrad Milne, his spous: daughter , born Oct. 30th, and baptized in Chapel.

6. **Meid,** Jehon, owlcomber, and Helan Forgison, his spous: son Jehon, born the 5th. Witnesses: George Davis; John Lumsdal, owlcomber.

Sunnen, Richard, oulcomber, and Mary Sunnen, his spous: daughter Maryann, born Oct. 25th. Witnesses: George Davis; John Emslay, owlcomber.

9. **Walker,** James, fermar at Northfield, and Ann Wilson, his spous: daughter Ann, born the 5th Nov., baptized in Chapel (Mr. Riddoch).

[No date.] **Gray,** John, residenter in the Hardgate, and his spous: daughter Charlotte, born Feb. 29th, 1768 (Mr. Riddoch). Witnesses: George Donald, John Couts, residenters in the Hardgate.

July 30. **Robertson,** George, stonecutter, and Isabel Smith, his spous: daughter Ann, born the 28th (Mr. Riddoch). Witnesses: George Copland, couper; David Langlands, sclater.

Nov. 26. **Pirray,** Alexr., saior, and Elisabeth Taylor, his spous: son James, born the 24th, and baptized in Chapel (Mr. Riddoch).

Bisset, James, leberor, and Isabel Taylor, his spous: daughter Margrat, born the 24th, and baptized in Chapel (Mr. Riddoch).

Dec. 6. **Moslay,** James, seilkmanefactrer, and Ann Morle, his spous: son James, born Nov. 12 (Mr. Riddoch). Witnesses: Provest Jopp, William Vity.

12. **Watt,** Alexr., blaksmith, and Ann Bouman, his spous: son John, born the 10th, and baptised in Chapel (Mr. Riddoch).

14. **Gray,** John, and Janet Gordon, his spous: son John, born the 13th (Mr. Riddoch). Witnesses: John Couts, James Harvie.

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Dec. 15. **Riddel,** John, blaksmith, and Elisabeth Strachan, his spous: two sons James, Androu, born the 15th. Witnesses: Mrs. Captn. Skien, Janet Cormak.

14. **Raitte,** William, marchant, and Sophia Hay, his spous: son William, born the 1st (Mr. Riddoch). Witnesses: Provost James Jopp; James Allardyce, mart.

[No date.] **McDonald,** William, labror, and Haeland Grant, his spous: daughter Batthia, baptized in Chapel.

29. **Sim,** Charles, leberor in Kinelar, and Christian Brown, his spous: daughter Margrat, born the 29th. Witnesses: John King, taylor; Helan Hindrson.

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Jan. 1. **Mitchel,** William, merchant, Aldeir, and Marthow Gellan: bastard daughter Barbra, born 30th Dec., and baptised in Chapel.

Keith, William, wright, and Ann Simm, his spous: daughter Isabel, born the 1st (Mr. Riddoch). Witnesses: Thomas and George Bruce.

2. **Youl,** Alexr., salmonfisher, and Elspat Strachan, his spous: son Alexr., born 30th Dec., and baptized in Chapel (Mr. Riddoch).

4. **Duffas,** Alexr., merchant, and Elisabeth Browce, his spous: son George, born the 3rd. Witnesses: William Gray, merchant; James Cattow.

6. **Pirie,** Thomas, wright, and Mary Findlay, his spous: daughter Mary, born the 5th. Witnesses: Thomas Kinard, John Nicol.

7. **Makkinzie,** Murda, taylor, and Jannet Makkinzie, his spous: son Duncan, born the 2nd Dec., and baptised in Chapel.

Scot, Frances, oulcomber, and Sarah Scot, his spouse: son William, born 15th Dec., and baptized in Chapel.

12. **Bennerman,** Dr. Alexr., and Mary Gordon, his spous: son Alexr., born Dec. 30th. Witnesses: Mr. George Gordon and Thomas Bennerman, merchants in Aberdeen.

13. **Makkinzie,** John, ship master, and Margrate Gibbon, his spous: daughter Jannet, born the 7th (Mr. Riddoch). Witnesses: George Duncann, shipmaster; Alexr. Gibbon, carpander.

Feb. 2. **Gibbons,** James, shipmaster, and Sufia Gibbons, his spous: daughter Elisabeth, born Jan. 26th (Mr. Riddoch). Witnesses: George Duncan, Robert Gibon, shipmasters.

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Dec. 19. **Martin,** James, marchant, and Mart. Burnatt, his spous: son Robert, born 19th Dec. (Mr. Riddoch). Witnesses: Alexr. Walker, Peter Reid, merchants.

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Feb. 18. **Bain,** William, laberor, and Isabel Simm, his spous; daughter Ann, born the 15th, and baptized in Chapel.

25. **Marr,** Alexr., salmonfisher, and Ann Fooler, his spous: daughter Ann, born the 22nd, and baptized in Chapel.

24. **Burnet,** William, advocate, and Margrat Taylor, his spous: son William, born the 14th. Witnesses: William Brebner, Alexr. Gammak, marchants.

Mar. 3. **Carmichel,** Robert, and Jean Garden: bastard son James, born the 2nd, and baptized in Chapel (Mr. Riddoch).

4. **Casse,** William, wiver, and Elisabeth Thomson, his spouse: daughter Elisabeth, born the 4th (Mr. Riddoch). Witnesses: William Stinson, wiver; Willm. Reid.

8. **Brands,** James, and Chirstian Mckinzie: bastard son and daughter Thomas and Jannet, born the 7th (Mr. Riddoch).

9. **Galloua,** Robert, farmer, in Newhills, and Elspat Edwart, his spous: son William, born the 6th, and baptized in Chapel.

13. **Horsfall,** Christopher, and Anne Horsfall, his spous: son Henry Warner, born the 12th Feb.

18. **Ross,** Alexr., chapman, and Jean Cushne, his spouse: daughter Shusan, born the 16th (Mr. Riddoch). Witnesses: John Young, Charles Irven, chapmen.

19. **Toad,** Georg, merchant, and Elisabeth Toad, his spous: son William, born the 19th. Witnesses: John Ferair, bookbinder; James Morison, merchant.

25. **Stewart,** James, and Jannet Grant: bastard son Peter, born the 20th, and baptized in Chapel.

Leslie, Alexr., apotachary, and Mary Arbuthnet, his spous: daughter Hellan, born the 23rd (Mr. Riddoch). Witnesses: George Moir, Scotstain; James Johnstain, merchant.

27. **Chambers,** Charels, wright, and Elisabeth Auld, his spous: son James, born the 26th. Witnesses: William Thom, wright; Thomas Stuart, mason.

31. **Gellan,** Alexr., fleshar, and Jannet Wallace, his spous: son James, born the 26th (Mr. Riddoch). Witnesses: John Wallas, James Robertson, shownakers.

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April 1. **Dyce,** Alexr., merchant, and Mary Aughterlowny, his spous: daughter Elisabeth, born Match 31st. Witnesses: William Brebner, Robert Dyce, merchants.

5. **Milne,** William, leberor, and Elisabeth Malkem, his spous: daughter Jean, born the 4th (Mr. Riddoch). Witnesses: James Milne, showmaker; Robert Walker, lintdesser.

24. **Wishert,** James, couper, and Isabel Duncan, his spous: daughter Jean, born the 23rd, and baptized in Chapel.

26. **Galloway,** John, barber, and Jean Davidon, his spous: two daughters Jean and Margaret, born the 26th. Witnesses: Alexr. Davidson, alder and younger, hecklars.

29. **Golespy,** James, oslier to John Mackgie and Jannet Hacket, his spous: son John, born the 24th (Mr. Riddoch). Witnesses: John Mackgie; James Foret, ferrior.

Golespy, George, burn man, and Jean Herve, his spous: son George, born the 27th (Mr. Riddoch). Witnesses: William Golespy, saier; George Nicol, barbar.

30. **Davis,** George, owlcomber, and Margaret Davis, his spous: son William, born the 15th (Mr. Riddoch). Witnesses: Robert Luxtin, comer; Richard Simmans, comer.

Primrose, William, wright, and Ann Mortimar, his spous: son William, born the 1st. Witnesses: David Primrose and wife.

May 9. **Leslie,** Alexr., merchant in the Gren, and Elisabeth Fleeman, his spous: daughter Elisabeth, born the 2nd (Mr. Riddoch). Witnesses: William Leslie, merchant; Bailief Cushnie, merchant.

18. **Walker,** John, leberor, and Ann Simm, his spous: son John, born the 17th (Mr. Riddoch). Witnesses: Thomas Provin and John Jameson, shoumakers.

16. **Leith,** John, barber, and Isabel Wilson, his spous: son James, born the 10th (Mr. Riddoch). Witnesses: James Clark, writer; Alexr. Thomson, farmer.

20. **Merins,** Benjiman, leberor, and Isabel Riddal, his spous: daughter Hindred, born the 20th, and baptized in Chapel.

Mitchel, John, stabler, and Margrat Ree, his spous: daughter Margrat, born the 19th (Mr. Riddoch). Witnesses: George Broon, wright; Alexr. Ree, owlcomber.

30. **Forgison,** John, flesher, and Janet Mertin, his spous; daughter Margrat, born the 29th. Witnesses: Thomas Simpson, Alexr. Duffas, fleshars.

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June 5. **Leslie,** Alexr., leberor, and Christian Gunn, his spous: **son** Robert, born the 2nd (Mr. Riddoch). Witnesses: Hecter **McDonald,** leberor; Alexr. Ross, mrt.

6. **Dason,** James, hat-maker, and Elisabeth Dason, his spous: **son** George, born the 24th May, and baptized in Chapel (Mr. **Riddoch).**

3. **Walker,** George, dayster, and Isabel Fordyce, his spous: **daughter** Margret born the 2nd (Mr. Riddoch). Witnesses: Dr. **Alexr. Ross;** Alexr. Walker, merchant.

10. **Sharp,** James, nailmaker, and Jannet Sharp, his spous: **daughter** Margrat, born the 7th, and baptized in Chapel (Mr. Riddoch).

[No date.] **Low,** John.

13. **Millne,** John, masson, and Elisabeth Hittan, his spous: **daughter** Girsald, born the 12th (Mr. Riddoch). Witnesses: **James Robertson,** wiver; Jean Dierie.

16. **Craik,** John, ship master, and Mary Thomson, his **spous:** daughter Christian, born the 4th. Witnesses: John **Burnet, merchant;** Andrew Tat.

17. **Mcfarson,** James, leberor, and Ketran Summers, his **spous: son** James, born the 17th. Witnesses: John Summers and **John King.**

24. **Lowrance,** John, farmer, and Hellan Barrach, his spous: **daughter** Christian, born the 20th (Mr. Riddoch). Witnesses: William **Duncan,** wright; James Craig, taylor.

Carr, James, shoemaker, and Isabel Nill, his spous: **daughter** Margrat, born the 22nd. Witnesses: Malcum **Mccouk, shoemaker;** John Nill, wright.

27. **Miller,** James, shipmaster, and Christian Duncan, his **spous: son** Alexr., born the 18th. Witnesses: Mr. Vity; George **Duncan, ship-**master.

May 29. **Allon,** James, quarrior, and Jean Stephan, his spous: **son Alexr.,** born the 28th May, and baptized in Chapel (Mr. Riddoch).

July 4. **Duffas,** John, leberor, and Jannet Sodie, his spous: **daughter** Margrat, born the 2nd, and baptized in Chapel (Mr. Riddoch).

5. **Ferior,** George, selair, and Elisabeth Ferior, his spous: **son** William, born the 4th (Mr. Riddoch). Witnesses: **Lowas Innas, rope-**maker; Peter Stephan, wiver.

13. **Biton,** George, prainter, and Hindred Smith, his spous: **daughter** Margrat, born the 12th. Witnesses: Alexr. Masson, prainter; **William** Burr, owlcomber.

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July 15. **Lam,** Alexr., owlcomber, and Elisabeth Sim, his spous: son Alexr., born the 10th (Mr. Riddoch). Witnesses: James Lam, taylor; John Lam, wright.

16. **Forbas,** Alexr., gardner, and Elisabeth Emslay, his spous: son William, born the 15th (Mr. Riddoch). Witnesses: John Emslay, showmaker; Andrew Lawson, gardner.

Sept. 5. **Reid,** James, taylor, and Jean Stewart, his spous: son Andrew, born 5th Sept. Witnesses: Peter Lyon, blacksmith; Joheph Green, naler.

July 21. **Snay,** Thomas, sailer, and Jean Davidson, his spous: daughter Margrat, born the 20th (Mr. Riddoch). Witnesses: Patrick Thomson, taylor; Helan Forgeson.

22. **Walker,** William, glover, and Mary Naughty, his spous: son William, born the 19th, and baptized in Chapel (Mr. Riddoch).

Kemp, James, showmaker, and Margrat Duncan, his spous: daughter Margrat, born the 21st. Witnesses: Alexr. Nicol, George Strachan, showmakers.

29. **Bennarman,** Cherlas, and Elisabeth Make: bastard daughter Charlat, born the 27th, and baptized in Chapel.

Barran, Patrick, merchant, and Isabel Meldrum, his spous: daughter Isabel, born the 25th (Mr. Riddoch). Witnesses: George Meldrum, Malkem McCouk, shoemakers.

Aug. 1. **Watson,** James, barber, and Isabel Thomson, his spous: daughter Ann, born July 31st, and baptized in Chapel (Mr. Riddoch).

7. **Cochran,** Hugh, sailer, and Marthew Gibbons, his spous: son Hugh, born the 3rd. Witnesses: George Duncan, shipmaster; Arthur Gibbons, carpander.

5. **Strachan,** Charles, sailar, and Agnas Strachan, his spous: daughter Isabel, born 28th July (Mr. Riddoch). Witnesses: James Strachan, elder and younger, taylors.

13. **Barkla,** John, wiver, and Ann Smith, his spous: son Peter, born the 12th, and baptized in Chapel (Mr. Riddoch).

14. **Jinkines,** Charles, shoemaker, and Elisabeth Walker, his spous: daughter Jannet, born the 12th (Mr. Riddoch). Witnesses: John Mill, wiver; William Walker, hookmaker.

13. **Innas,** Alexr., advocate, and Ann Ross, his spous: son William, born the 10th (Mr. Riddoch). Witnesses: Dr. Alex. Ross; Joseph Innes of Carlour.

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Aug. 16. **Thomson,** Peter, taylor, and Margrat Forbes, his spous: son Robert, born the 15th (Mr. Riddoch). Witnesses: Robert Leguartwood, Scelmar; Andrew Tait, organest.

18. **Ewan,** Alexr., leberor, and Margrat Wobester, his spous: son Alexr., born the 15th, and baptized in Chapel (Mr. Riddoch).

Anderson, Alexr., leberor, and Isable Davidson, his spous: son Alexr., born the 17th, and baptized in Chapel (Mr. Riddoch).

26. **Forbas,** Andrew, Befour, and Barbra Thomson: bastard daughter Ann, born the 21st, and baptized in Chapel.

25. **Nepour,** Major, and Margrat Simpson, his lady: son Frances, born the 20th (Mr. Riddoch). Witnesses: Dr. Livenston; Mrs. Simpson, Concrege; Mrs. Lobon.

27. **Moir,** Andrew, wright, and Margrat Murda, his spous: daughter Jean, born the 27th (Mr. Riddoch). Witnesses: Charles Moir, William Martin, wrights.

29. **White,** Peter, hookmaker, and Margrat Clerehew, his spous: daughter Jean (Mr. Riddoch). Witnesses: Daniel White, hookmaker; James Clereheu, wreight.

31. **Mackie,** Peter, constebel, and Christian Hay, his spous: son William, born the 9th (Mr. Riddoch). Witnesses: William Forbes, shirifsofisher; William Watt.

Sept. 2. **Dyce,** Robert, merchant, and May Dyce, his pouse: son William, born the 31st August. Witnesses: Alexr. Dyce, siner; John Freasure, junner.

8. **Cochran,** Thomas, penter, and Janet Reid, his spous: son James, born the 6th. Witns.: Peter Reid, masson; William Brown, maltster.

9. **Allon,** William, wright, and Jannet Cruckshank, his spous: son William, born the 4th (Mr. Riddoch). Witnesses: William Duncan, wright; Jno. Black, merchant.

21. **Mackcay,** Angus, leberor, and Mary Mackcay, his spous: daughter Margrat, born the 8th, and baptised in Chapel.

23. **Provine,** Thomas, shoemaker, and Margrat Brebner, his spous: daughter Margaret, born the 22nd (Mr. Riddoch). Witnesses: John Jameson, shoemaker; John Walker, leberor.

28. **Gordon,** John, and Sarah Elphenton, his wife: son John, born Wednesday, the 26th. Witnesses: Mr. John Irvine, Dr. Thomas Livingston.

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Sept. 26. **Reid,** William, gardner, and Margrat Wobster, his spous: son Peter, born the 25th. Witnesses: George Paule, gardner; Peter Wobster, gardner.

30. **Leslie,** Patrick, hatmaker, and Jean Elphinston, his spous: daughter Margrat, born the 27th (Mr. Riddoch). Witnesses: Patrick Leslie, elder, hatmaker; John Copland, merchant.

Oct. 5. **Milne,** Alexr., leberor, and Margrat Ramsay, his spous: daughter , born the 3rd, and baptized in Chapel.

7. **Baxter,** Robert, flesher, and Jannet Martin, his spous: son Alexr., born the 1th [sic] (Mr. Riddoch). Witnesses: Alexr. Mertain, flesher; George Reid, showmaker.

Walker, John, cooper, and Elisabeth Blair, his spouse: son Charles, born the 3rd (Mr Riddoch) baptised in Chapel.

Kemlaw, Alexr., shoemaker, and Margrat Mathewson, his spouse: son William, born Septmr. 29th (Mr. Riddoch). Witnesses: William Leslie, merchant; William Cruckshank, mert.

Finliter, Alexr., shoemaker, and Elspat Duckhade, his spouse: son William, born the 6th, and baptized in Chapel (Mr. Riddoch).

12. **Duncan,** George, fermar, and Ann Touch, his spouse: daughter Ann, born the 9th (Mr. Riddoch). Witnesses: John Duncan, masson; Alexr. Duncan, farmer.

13. **Still,** William, flesher, and Jean Craig, his spouse: daughter Margrat, born the 2nd (Mr. Riddoch). Witnesses: Alexr. Meff, farmer; and Nans Filp, his spous.

21. **Smith,** James, farmer at Whitemires, and Jean Nicol, his spous: daughter Margrat, born the 19th, and baptized in Chapel (Mr. Riddoch).

22. **Robertson,** George, merchant, and Ann Allon, his spouse: son Collin, born the 6th. Witnesses: Frances Gordon, shoemaker; James Allan, merchant.

23. **Gordon,** John, sailer, and Magdeland Mouray, his spouse: son John, born the 21st. Witnesses: Christian Streitan, Jean Orquart.

28. **Davidson,** James, taylor, and Ann Fleming, his spouse: daughter Margrat, born the 23rd. Witnesses: John Godsmin, gardrer: Alexr. Taylor, taylor.

Shipard, Thomas, cooper, and Jean Baxter, his spouse: son Caious Jouleas Cesar Adam, born the 26th. Witnesses: Thomas Duncan, David Morice, lawors.

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Oct. 28. **Balmana,** Robert, merchand, and Elisabeth Buchan, his spous: son Robert, born the 21st (Mr. Riddoch). Witnesses: George Donaldson, merchant; William Innas, hecklar.

30. **Smith,** Alexr., merchant, and Ann Forbes, his spouse: daughter Jean, born the 28th. Witnesses: Walter Thibow, of Creekside; John Smith; John Still, mert.

Nov. 4. **Will,** Andrew, farmer, and Ketran Williamson, his spous: son Andrew, born 29th Octr., and baptized in Chapel.

5. **McGriger,** William, and Ann Stewart: bastard son William, born 18th Octr., and baptized in Chapel (Mr. Riddoch).

Makkay, Kenat, and Elspat Makkloud, his spous: daughter Ann, born the 4th, and baptized in Chapel (Mr. Riddoch).

10. **Younge,** John, merchant, and Nans Downe, his spouse: son Joseph, born the 3rd (Mr. Riddoch). Witnesses: William Littleiohn, wright; James Masson, merchant.

18. **Massie,** James, wheelwright, and Margrat Renie, his spouse: son George, born the 16th. Witnesses: John Watt, gardner; John Gordon, baker.

21. **Crombie,** James, farmer, and Elisabeth Warick, his spouse: son John, born the 19th, and baptized in Chapel.

Dec. 2. **Stewart,** Alexr., masson, and Jean Johnston, his spous: son William, born 29th Nov. (Mr. Riddoch). Witnesses: Thomas Stewart, masson; Alexr. Gibbons, oulcomber.

4. **Smith,** Willm., lebourer, and Isabel Mackloud: bastard daughter Ann, born Dec. 2nd, and baptized in Chapel.

9. **Crukshank,** Willm., taylor, and Mary Cruckshank, his spous: son William, born the 6th. Witnesses: Willm. Allan, wright; Willm. Golespie, saiers.

12. **Gibbons,** Robert, shippmaster, and Barbra Yets, his spouse: daughter Elisabeth, born the 5th. Witnesses: Arther Gibbons, carpander; Mrs. Gibbons; Miss Yetts.

16. **Sedlair,** Willm., souldier, and in the 23 Regment of foot, and , his spouse: son George, born the 6th (Mr. Riddoch). Witnesses: Thomas Mitchel, wiver; Alexr. Saidler, leberor.

17. **Skein,** George, Robslaw, and Jean Moir, his laddy: son George, born the 14th. Witnesses: Mr. Moir, Stonewood; Mr. Thomson, consultor.

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Dec. 16. **Brigford,** John, sailer, and Jean Taylor, his spouse: daughter Jean, born the 15th (Mr. Riddoch). Witnesses: Alexr. and Earnest Taylor.

23. **Murray,** Robert, sailer, and Margrat Donald, his spous: son Robert, born the 12th. Witnesses: Robert Innes, mert.; William Matthew, ventner.

26. **Walker,** James, gardner in Old Aberdeen, and , his spous: daughter Jean, born the 24th (Mr. Riddoch). Witnesses: Peter Walker, mert.; George Paul, gardner in Old Aberdeen.

27. **Donald,** Andrew, laberor, and Jean Couper, his spous: daughter Mary, born the 25th, and baptised in Chapel.

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Jan. 1. **Duncan,** Robert, white oirn smith, and Christian Couper, his spous: son Robert, born Dec. 26th. Witnesses: George Crouden, mart.; John Norie, painter.

2. **Brebner,** Robert, shoemaker, and Margrat Renie, his spous: son Walter, born Decr. 29th, and baptized in Chapel.

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Dec. 31. **Thom,** James, masson, and Jean Berry, his spouse: daughter Christian, born Dec. 31st. Witnesses: James Wilson, masson; John Milne, stabler.

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Jan. 13. **Stirlin,** William, selair, and Christin Meldram, his spouse: daughter Christian, born the 7th (Mr. Riddoch). Witnesses: George and James Meldrun, taners.

19. **Garroch,** Alexr., mert., and Ann Bennerman, his spous: son Alexr., born 30th Dec. [1770]. Witnesses: Alexr. Bennerman, mert.; Alexr. Milne, merchant.

Irvine, John, Auchmuniel, and Margrat Chambers, his spouse: daughter Charlot, born the 18th (Mr. Riddoch). Witnesses: Captn. Baxter; George Gordon, Rothnie.

20. **Reid,** Thomas, leberor, and Ann Shouan, his spouse: daughter Jannet, born the 20th. Witnesses: James Rind, masson; James Devne, porter.

27. **Makie,** John, millert, Justice miles, and Mary Hay, his spous: daughter Elisabeth, born the 24th, and baptized in Chapel.

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Feb. 6. **Gray,** Robert, merchant, and Margrat Tait: son Robert, born the 2nd, and baptized in Chapel (Mr. Riddoch).

12. **Bishop,** James, merchant, and Ketran Joss, his spouse: son Thomas, born the 10th (Mr. Riddoch). Witnesses: William Smith, advocat; Robert Balmana, mertchant.

19. **Smith,** George, sailer, and Christian Casse, son William, born the 17th, and baptized in Chapel (Mr. Riddoch).

24. **Berne,** James, wiver, and Jean Peterson, his spouse: daughter Margrat, born the 12th (Mr. Riddoch). Witnesses: John Ferior, bookbinder; George Burnett, heckler.

26. **Cameran,** James, leberor, and Margrat McClean, his spouse: son John, born the 25th, and baptized in Chapel (Mr. Riddoch).

March 6. **Lumsden,** Alexr., advocat, and Jean Robertson, his spouse: daughter Annabella, born the 2nd (Mr. Riddoch). Witnesses: Mr. Innes, commsary; Alexr. Cornigie, clark; James Davidson, Midmar; Andrew Robertson, Fovrin.

10. **Artus,** Edwart, wright, and Sara Artus, his spouse: son John born the 9th, and baptized in Chapel (Mr. Riddoch).

17. **Milne,** Thomas, wiver, and Isabel Murda, his spous: son William, born the 16th, and baptized in Chapel (Mr. Riddoch).

Black, Robert, sailer, and Ann Taggard: bastard son James, born the 16th, and baptized in Chapel (Mr. Riddoch).

18. **Bennerman,** Dr. Alexr., and Mary Gordon, his spouse: daughter Mary, born Feb. 29. Witnesses: Alexr. Bennerman, George Gordon, merts.

20. **Young,** Dr. William, and Ann Gordon, his spouse: son Thomas, born the 2nd. Witnesses: Charles Gordon, John Fraser, merchants.

22. **Bouth,** James, oulcomber, and Elisabeth Bouth, his spous: daughter Maryan, born the 15th, and baptized in Chapel.

24. **Ferear,** John, bookbinder, and Theadosheos Stewart, his spouse: daughter Burnett, born the 17th. Witnesses: James Birne, taner; George Stewart, bookbinder.

27. **Watt,** Charles, and Elisabeth Masson: bastard son Alexander, born the 25th, and baptized in Chapel.

30. **Martin,** Willm., wright, and Margrat Duncan, his spous: son James, born the 27th (Mr. Riddoch). Witnesses: George Duncan, shoemaker; James Duncan, merchant.

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April 3. **Bennerman,** John, masson, and Elisabeth Linton, his spouse: son George, born March 31st (Mr. Riddoch). Witnesses: George Linton, farmer in Minkigie; Alexr. Bennerman, masson.

17. **Leslie,** William, merchant, and Ann Grant, his spouse: daughter Anna, born the 11th (Mr. Riddoch). Witnesses: Captain Grant, Grantsfield: Alexr. Leslie, merchant.

March 29. **Renie,** Robert, wiver, and Jean Hadeden, his spouse: son Patrick, born March 29th, and baptized in Chapel (Mr. Riddoch).

April 22. **Reid,** Alexr., gardner, and Ketran Mackgriger, his spouse: son John, born the 17th (Mr. Riddoch). Witnesses: Alexr. Martin, elder and younger, fleshers.

23. **Bouth,** Patrick, merchant, and Ann Houg, his spouse: son John, born the 19th. Witnesses: George and William Still, merchants.

1. **McGriger,** Murdo, taylor at Lonhead, and Jannet Mckinzie, his spous: son Alexr., born March 30th, and baptized in Chapel (Mr. Riddoch).

5. **Duncan,** William, salmon fisher in Nether Banchre, and Elspat Earth, his spouse: daughter Margree, born the 1st, and baptized in Chapel.

May 5. **Smart,** John, wright, and Mary Keith, his spouse: daughter Mary, born the 3rd. Witnesses: James Wildgoose, silver smith; James Meldrom, taner.

7. **Chism,** Mathow, laberor, and Jannet Reid, his spouse: daughter Jannet, born the 5th. Witnesses: James Morrow, taylor; John Youngson, stabler.

9. **Baird,** Charles, silk dayer, and Jean Mathewsons, his spouse: daughter Elisabeth, born the 6th (Mr. Riddoch). Witnesses: Patrick Barron, merchant; James Cleirechew, wright.

10. **Innes,** John, shoemaker, and Barbrau Catanoch, his spouse: son James, born the 7th. Witnesses: Barbra Innes, Ann Cattenoch.

16. **Burnett,** William, advocate, and Margrat Taylor, his spouse, son Alexr., born the 11th. Witnesses: Adam Duff, bailif; David Taylor, advocate.

June 2. **Nicol,** John, oulcomber, and Elspat Silly, his spous: son James, born the 2nd (Mr. Riddoch). Witnesses: James Murrow, confectionat maker; John Donald, gardner.

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June 4. **Elbeck,** Hendry, lapidary, and Mary Elbeck, his pouse: daughter Mary, born May 18th (Mr. Riddoch). Witnesses: Andrew London, glasier; Mrs. London.

8. **Still,** Alexr., flesher in Robslaw, and Jean Donald, his spouse: son John, born the 5th (Mr. Riddoch). Witnesses: John Still, flesher; William Donald, farmer.

14. **Akin,** Robert, sailer, and Jean Davidson, his spouse: son John, born the 12th (Mr. Riddoch). Witnesses: John Mesten, dyster; Adam Duncan, lint dresser.

15. **Linsay,** Alexr., leberor, and Margrat Linsay, his spouse: daughter Mary, born the 12th, and baptized in Chapel (Mr. Riddoch).

17. **Wright,** Alexr., barber, and Christian Fitsgirreld, his spouse: son James, born the 15th (Mr. Riddoch). Witnesses: James Walker, writer: William Fitsgirrald, barber.

20. **Chambers,** Charles, wright, and Elisabeth Auld, his spouse: son John, born the 19th (Mr. Riddoch). Witnesses: John Bizet, white oyrn smith; William Thom, wright.

15. **Livinston,** Dr., and , his lady: daughter Isabella, born the 10th (Mr. William Blake). Witnesses: Meldrum and Dr. Robison.

30. **Walker,** George, dyster, and Isabel Fordyce, his spous: son Alexr., born the 20th (Mr. Riddoch). Witnesses: Alexr. Walker, merchant; Dr. Alexr. Rose.

July 2. **Gauld,** David, staymaker on the Spithill, and Christian Lumsden, his spouse: son William, born June 29th. Witnesses: George Forbes, baker, David Shirrefs, wright.

7. **Weir,** Alexr., leberor, and Ann Manson, his spouse: son John, born the 1st, and baptized in Chapel (Mr. Riddoch).

14. **Morray,** Daniel, taylor, and Helan Hay, his spouse: daughter Margrat, born the 13th (Mr. Riddoch). Witnesses: George Forbas, taylor: William Norvil, shoemaker.

16. **Dyce,** Alexr., merchant, and Mary Aucherterlounie, his pouse: son Androw, born the 15th (Mr. Riddoch). Witnesses: Robert Dyce, merchant; Andrew Taitt, organist.

20. **Craige,** William, stablar, and Ann Bain, his spouse: daughter Elspat, born the 18th (Mr. Riddoch). Witnesses: James Roger; William Smith, stabler.

22. [No name] and Isabel Nicol: daughter Margrat, born the 17th and baptized in Chapel (Mr. Blake).

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July 20. **Smith,** Patrick, ass-fider, and Mary Mudie, his spouse: daughter Jean, born the 20th (Mr. Riddoch). Witnesses: George Angus, William Sangster, indwellers in Aberdeen.

26. **Simmands,** Ritchard, oulcomber, and Mary Simmands, his spouse: daughter Elisabeth, born the 25th, and baptized in Chapel.

Aug. 7. **Edward,** James, oulcomber, and Ann Stot, his spouse: daughter Isabel, born the 2nd. Witnesses: John Stot, cooper; Alexr. Edward, wiver.

13. **Howie,** John, laberor, and Agnus. Lang, his spouse: son Alexander, born the 12th, and baptized in Chapel (Mr. Riddoch).

14. **Rate,** William, merchant, and Sophia Hay, his spous: son Alexander, born the 6th (Mr. Riddoch). Witnesses: James Alrdyce, mert.; James Hacket, shoemaker.

16. **Duffes,** Alexr., merchand, and Elisabeth Bruce, his spous: daughter Margrat, born the 14th (Mr. Blake). Witnesses: William Gray, mert.; James, tidewaiter.

26. **Clerehew,** James, wright, and Ann Forbes, his spouse: son George, born the 17th (Mr. Riddoch). Witnesses: George Moir, Scotstain; John Leslie, merchant.

Sept. 1. **Anderson,** Alexr., merchant, and Effie Burr, his spous: daughter Isabel, born August 26th. Witnesses: Robert Burr, oulcomber; Francis Thomson, dyster.

2. **Paterson,** Alexr., showmaker, and Elspat Murgine, his spous: son and daughter James and Catrine, born the 2nd (Mr. Riddoch).

4. **Burnet,** Hendry, oulcomber, and Elisabeth Burnet, his spous: son William, born the 2nd, and baptized in Chapel. Witnesses: James Brown, oulcomber; William Taylor, oulcomber.

Innes, Lucas, ropemaker, and Margrat Ferrior, his spouse: daughter Mary, born the 3rd. Witnesses: Gilbert Coardner, sailer; William Smith, sailer.

15. **Mallice,** Geo., merchant in Huntlay, and Ann Rennie; daughter Jean, born August 30th, and baptised in Chapel.

26. **Fitzgerald,** William, junr., barber, and Barbra Robertson, his spouse: son James, born the 16th. Witnesses: James Robertson, wiver in Old Aberden; Willm. Fitzgerald, barber, seneir.

24. **Dyce,** James, barber, and Jean Fordyce, his spous: son James, born the 9th (Mr. Riddoch). Witnesses: George Walker, dyster; Robt. Dyce, mercht.

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Sept. 30. **Anderson,** John, wright, and Jean Jack, his spouse: daughter Jean, born the 25th, and baptized in Chapel (Mr. Riddoch).

29. **Reid,** Patrick, masson, and Margrat Cochrom, his spouse: daughter Margery May, born the 28th. Witnesses: Adam Duncan, lintdresser; William Smith, blacksmith.

Oct. 1. **Forbes,** John, masson, and Jean Bisset, his spouse: daughter Ann, born September 30th. Witnesses: Thomas Akine, farmer; Alexr. Wattson, shoemaker.

8. **Drimmay,** Alexr., cooper, and Isabel Duncan, his spouse: daughter Isabel, born the 6th (Mr. Riddoch). Witnesses: John Simm, millert; John Snawie, leberor.

9. **Morrice,** David, and Agnes Shed: bastard son David, born the 7th, and baptized in Chapel.

14. **Brownie,** John, saer, and Jean Mearns, his spouse: daughter Elisabeth, born the 12th. Witnesses: John Brownie, wright; John Adamson, shoemaker.

Martine, James, merchant, and Margrat Burnet, his spouse: son Andrew, born the 13th. Witnesses: John Hill, merchant; Alexander Martine, farmer.

Nov. 3. **Mitchal,** Andrew, oulcomber, and Ann Mitchel, his spouse: son Daniel, born October 29th, and baptized in Chapel.

4. **Marr,** James, flesher, and Mary Copland, his spouse: son Francis, born October 29th (Mr. Riddoch). Witnesses: Francis M'gie, merchant; Francis Bain, farmer.

Oct. 11. **Young,** John, chapman, and Margrat Smith, his spouse: son Hugh, born the 9th (Mr. Riddoch). Witnesses: John Ewen, mercht.; Patrick White, hook maker.

16. **Nepor,** Major, and , his lady: son Hope, born the 14th (Mr. Riddoch). Witnesses: Mr. Walter Tibo; Alexr. Girroch, mercht.

17. **Duncan,** John, sailer, and Margaret Mathowson: daughter Helan, born the 14th. Witnesses: William Saidlar, work man; Donald McCombie, blacksmith.

18. **Steven,** William, shoumaker, and Jeane Forgeson, his spous: son William, born the 16th. Witnesses: Samual Gordon, masson; Androu Waisle, taylor.

20. **Donald,** Thomas, maltster, and Isabeld Donaldson, his spous: son George, born the 20th (Mr. Riddoch).

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Oct. 20. **Duncan,** James, selar, and Marthou Coban: bastard son James, born the 17th, and baptized in Chapel.

Nov. 25. **Thomson,** Alexr., taylor, and Jeane Morison, his spous: son Androu, born the 24th. Witnesses: Androu Walker, marcht.; James Creag, masson.

Dec. 1. **Thomson,** James, and Christan Nicol: bastrd daughter Catren, baptized in Chapel.

5. **Skein,** George, Robslo, and , his lady; daughter Jeane, born the 4th. Witnesses: Consulter Thomson; Mr. Moir, Stoniwoid.

10. **Cream,** John, corkcuter, and Jean Sedelar, his spous: son John, born the 9th. Witnesses: Robert Garden, shoumaker; John Brown, laberor.

15. **Finlater,** Alexr., shoumaker in Old Aberdeen, and , his spous: son James, born the 11th (Mr. Riddoch). Witnesses: James Stronach and Peter Hadden, shoumakers in Old Abdn.

20. **Oglvie,** George, masson: bleak servent Robert. Witnesses: The Miss Ramsays, millnars.

27. **Duruard,** William, marchant, and Anne Burnett, his spous: son George, born the 27th (Mr. Riddoch). Witnesses: Peter Duruard, baker; Alexr. Daye, marchant.

29. **Milne,** John, masson, and Ann Scot, his spous: daughter Clementina, born the 27th (Mr. Riddoch). Witnesses: Alexr. Scot, laberdor; Janet Scot.

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Jan. 1. **Forgeson,** John, fleshar, and his spous: daughter Margrat, born Dec. 31st. Witnesses: James Marten and James Simson, marchants in Abdn.

5. **Tood,** George, mart., and Eleisbath Meven, his spous: son Allexr., born the 3rd. Witnesses: Alexr. Moris and John Walker, wrights.

8. **Leith,** John, barber, and Isabel Wilson, his spous: son Chaireles, born the 1st (Mr. Riddoch). Witnesses: Chairels Haket, mat.; Dr. Leith.

18. **Still,** William, flesher, and Jeane Creage, his spous: son Roberte, born the 16th (Mr. Riddoch). Witnesses: Robert Moir, mart.; John King, taylor.

[No date.] **Rennie,** Aeles, and Isabel Browen; basterd daughter Margrat, born the 20th, and baptized in Chapel (Mr. Riddoch).

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Jan. 20. **Vitty,** William, induelar in Aberdeen, and Eleanor Vitty, his lady: son Rithard, born Octr. 18 (Mr. Riddoch). Witnesses: Sir William Johnstoun; Capten Fresar, Freaser Feild.

23. **Lesslie,** Alexr., apothecary, and Mary Arburthnat, his spous: son Thomas, born the 22nd. Witnesses: Mr. Moir, Scotstoun; James Johnstoun, merchant.

[No date.] **Grant,** Walter, couper, and Isabel Revels: natural son John, born Janer. 20th.

[No date.] **Chapman,** George, laberor, and Jean Robert, his spous: daughter Isabel, born Janer. 22nd (Mr. Riddoch).

26. **Ross,** Alexr., chapman, and Jean Cushne, his spous: daughter Elisabeth, born the 21st (Mr. Riddoch).

27. **Hindray,** John, taylor, and Mary Still, his spous: son John, born the 23rd. Witnesses: John Hindray, wiver; Robert Still, tayelr.

[No date.] **Ross,** William, laberor, and Margrat Makine, his spous: son William, born Febr. 6th, and baptized in Chapel (Mr. Riddoch).

[No date.] **Brown,** James, bleacher, and , his spous: daughter Elisabeth, born Febr. 7th, and baptized in Chapel (Mr. Riddoch).

Feb. 11. **Kieth,** William, wright , and Ann Sim, his spouse: daughter Jannet, born the 11th (Mr. Riddoch). Witnesses: William Duncan, wright; Thomas Bruce, in keeper.

[No date.] **Couts,** David, laberor, and Jean Mitchell, his spous: son James, born the 15th, and baptized in Chapel (Mr. Riddoch).

[No date.] **Smith,** James, couk, and Margrat Minro, natural daughter Elisabeth, born the 18th, and baptized in Chapel.

[No date.] **Brounnan,** William, oul comer, and Mary Angus, his spous: son William, born the 17th (Mr. Riddoch). Witnesses: William Mitchal, oulcomar; Alexr. Afleck, fermar.

[No date.] **Robertson,** James, shoumaker, and Isabel Gellon, his spous: son Alexr., born the 20th (Mr. Riddoch). Witnesses: Alexr. Gellan, fleshar; Charils Ross, gerdnar.

[No date.] **Strachan,** George, shoumaker, and Jean Simpson, his spous: daughter Cateren, born March 1st. Witnesses: Thomas Simpson, fleshar, Robert Wright, shoumaker.

Mar. 3. **Low,** John, shoumaker, and Christan Duncan, his spous: daughter Isabel, baptized in Chapel (Mr. Riddoch).

[No date.] **Gordon,** Francis, masson, and , his spouse: son Thomas, born the 7th, and baptized in Chapel (Mr. Riddoch).

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[No date.] **Thomson,** James, merchant, and Catrine Paterson, his spouse: son John Paterson, born March 12th (Mr. Riddoch). Witnesses: Capt. Sitoñ; William Cruickshank.

Mar. 22. **Benzie,** Geo., oulcomber, and Mary Robertson, his spous: son Alexander, born the 20th. Witnesses: James Watt and William Clark, oulcombers.

23. **Lumsden,** Alexr., advocate, and Jean Robertson, his spouse: son and daughter, John and Elisabeth, born the 21st (Mr. Riddoch) Witnesses: John Lumsden of Cushnie; Professer John Ross; John Lumsden, Bogheads.

Stevens, John, oulcomber, and Elis Craford, his spouse: daughter Mary, born the 22nd. Witnesses: Ritchard Simmons and Daniel Spikets, oulcombers.

[No date.] **Mearns,** Benjeman, and Isabl Ridal, his spous: daughter Elisabel, born the 24th, and baptized in Chapel.

[No date.] **Lefever,** Samuel, laberor, and Elisabeth Sangster, his spouse: daughter Saraw, born the 16th, and baptized in Chapel.

19. **Low,** Adam, wright at Robslaw, and Isabel Low, his spouse: son Andrew, born the 18th. Witnesses: John Forsyth, farmer; William Boddel, blacksmith.

[No date.] **Mackinzie,** Kennet, and Margt. Girroch, his spous: daughter Ann, born Aprile 7th. Witnesses: George and Alexander Girroch, merchants.

[No date.] **Mackdonald,** William, laberor, and Hellan Grant, his spouse: son Charles, born Aprile 10th, and baptized in Chapel.

[No date.] **Douglas,** David, laberor, and Ann Shane, his spouse: daughter Jannet, born the 11th, and baptized in Chapel (Mr. Riddoch).

[No date.] **Kemlaw,** Alexander, shoemaker, and Margrat Matheson, his spouse: daughter Hellan, born Aprile 19th (Mr. Riddoch). Witnesses: William Cruickshank, merct.; George Patent, shoemaker.

[No date.] **Golespay,** James, osler to Mrss. Magie, and Jannet Hacket, his spouse: son James, born the 19th. Witnesses: James Strachan, flesher; William Rhind.

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April 4. **Gordon,** Patrick, sadler, and Agnes Mearns: bastard son John, born the 3rd (Mr. Riddoch).

[No date.] **Boyl,** James, farmer, and Jannet Neddy, his pouse: son Alexr., born the 24th. Witnesses: John Boyl and James Chesser, farmers.

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April 30. **Metland,** Thomas, laberor, and Hellan Hay, his spous: daughter Isabel, born the 28th (Mr. Riddoch). Alexr. Stillas and Jno. King.

[No date.] **Milne,** Alexr., laberor, and Margrat Harley, his spous: son James, born May 7th. Witnesses: James Gibb and James Milne.

May 12. **Leslie,** Alexander, merchant in the Green, and Elisabeth Fleeman, his spous; daughter Jannet, born the 6th (Mr. Riddoch). Witnesses: William Leslie, merchant; Baylie Petter, Cushnie, merchant.

17. **Robertson,** George, merchant, and Ann Allan, his spous: son Francis, born the 8th. Witnesses: Francis Gordon, shoemaker; Collen Allan, goldsmith.

19. **Stewart,** Patrick, masson, and Isabel Shinie: bastard son James, born the 18th, and baptized in Chapel.

[No date.] **Alderdyce,** James, and Lillie Bennet: bastard daughter Isabel, born the 18th, and baptized in Chapel.

21. **Garrioch,** Alexr., mercht., and And [sic] Bannerman, his spouse: son Jno., born Aprile 28th. Witnesses: Alexr. Bannerman, mercht.; Dr. Jno. Garrioch.

Gordon, Peter, younger of Abachie, and Mary Burnet, his spous: son John, born the 20th. Witnesses: William Forbes younger of Craigivar; Arther Forbes, your. of Coloden; George Gordon, mercht.; William Chambers, phy.

20. **Shirrefs,** James, taylor, and Jannet Stephen, his spous: son William, born the 19th. Witnesses: Alexander Wagral, mercht.; George Shirrefs, taylor.

25. **Bain,** William, labberor, and Isabel Sim, his spous: son William, born the 24th, and baptized in Chapel (Mr. Riddoch).

29. **Ross,** Alexr., laberor, and Margrat Cameron, his spous: son William, born the 28th, and baptized in Chapel (Mr. Riddoch).

May 31. **Thibou,** Walter, Esqr., and Jean Forbes, his spous: daughter Jean, born the 16th (Mr. Riddoch). Witnesses: Dr. Lumsden; Alexander Smith, merchant.

June 3. **Gordon,** James, shoumaker, and Barbra Reid, his spous: daughter Isabel, born the 2nd. Witnesses: Alexander Taylor, shoumaker; Isabel Smith.

8. **Simson,** John, blacksmith, and Margrat Brown, his spous: son William, born the 4th, and baptized in Chapel (Mr. Riddoch).

7. **Spence,** Robert, laberor, and Isabel Lepper, his spouse: daughter Jean, born the 6th, and baptized in Chapel.

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June 14. **Johnston,** Jno., quarrier, and Elisabeth Abernethie, his spous: daughter Jean, born the 14th. Witnesses: John Abernethie, glove-maker; James Johnston, quarrier.

Milne, John, masson, and Elisabeth Hitton, his spous: son James, born the 10th. Witnesses: James Robitson, wiver; William Orchart, farmer.

[No date.] **Watt,** Alexr., blacksmith, and Ann Bowman, his spous: son Alexander, born the 13th, and baptized in Chapel.

21. **Marr,** Alexander, salmon fisher, and Ann Fowler, his spous: son William, born the 19th, and baptized in Chapel.

24. **Gordon,** John, Craig, and Ann Gordon, his spous: son Francis, born the 23rd (Mr. Riddoch). Witnesses: Geo. Gordon, mercht.; Dr. Geo. Skene.

28. **Leslie,** Patrick, junior, hat maker, and Jean Elphinston, his spous: son Patrick, born the 25th (Mr. Riddoch). Witnesses: Alexr. Milne, merchant; Patrick Leslie, senior, hat-maker.

29. **Monroe,** Donald, shoemaker, and Catrin Mackdonald, his spous: daughter Margrat, born the 28th, and baptized in Chapel.

July 10. **Marchall,** James, sailer, and Jean Hardie, his pous: daughter Jannet, born the 10th. Witns.: James Simson, wiver; Jannet Annan.

12. **Walker,** William, glover, and Mary Naughty, his pous: son Adam, born the 10th, and baptized in Chapel (Mr. Riddoch).

19. **Rutland,** , ropmaker, and Margrat Rautlodge, his pouse: son Quinton, born the 17th (Mr. Riddoch). Witnesses: Geo. Morgan, wiver; John Rough, ropemaker.

26. **Dauson,** James, hat maker, and Elisabeth Dauson, his spous: son John, born the 16th (Mr. Riddoch). Witnesses: Benjeman Anderson and Ann Campbell.

Massie, James, wheelwright, and Margrat Rennie, his spous: daughter Elisabeth, born the 23rd. Witnesses: John Watt, gardner; William Davidson, baker.

29. **Coupar,** Andrew, sergant in the 17 reament of Foot, and Lyda Cooper, his spous: daughter Lyda, born the 19th, and baptized in Chapel.

Aug. 2. **Carr,** James, shoemaker, and Isabel Nell, his spous: daughter Shusan, born Jully 27th. Witnesses: William Robb, wheelwright; Alexr. Ross, vinter.

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Aug. 3. **Linsay,** John, masson, and Jannet Shirras, his spous: son John, born the 2nd (Mr. Riddoch). Witnesses: Alexr. Chalmers, wright; William Urqart, millert.

Simson, Joseph, merchant, and Jean Whyt, his pouse: daughter Jean, born July 24th (Mr. Riddoch). Witnesses: Alexander Milne and William Simson, merchts.

6. **Gour,** Jacob, and Juday Picket, servants to Mr. Tibou: were baptized in St. Paul's Chappel (Mr. Riddoch).

7. **Black,** Adam, and Jean Sangster, his spous: son Alexander, born July 30th, and baptized in Chapel (Mr. Riddoch).

9. **Reid,** Alexr., masson, and Isabel Gibans, his spous: daughter Isabel, born the 7th (Mr. Riddoch). Witnesses: Alexr. Touch, viver; William Innes, oulcomber.

11. **Mongumrie,** George, farmer, and Helen Middleton, his spous: daughter Jean, born the 7th, and baptized in Chapel (Mr. Riddoch).

17. **Young,** John, merchant, and Nanns Dounie, his spous: son Benjeman, born the 11th (Mr. William Black). Witnesses: William Littlejohn, wright; James Cramar, stoudant.

21. **Walker,** James, gardener, and Margrat Shipard, his spous: son , born the 19th (Mr. Black). Witnesses: George Paul and William Paul, gardiners.

23. **Balmana,** Robt., merchant, and Elisabeth Buchan, his spous: daughter Helan, born the 13th. Witnesses: William Innes, flax dresser; James Bishop, merchant.

Shand, John, indweller in Aberdeen, and Elisabeth Golespay, his spous: daughter Ogolvie, born the 20th. Witnesses: William Cruickshank, merchant; Alexr. Davidson, baker.

24. **Simson,** William, taylor, and Elisabeth Smith, his spous: daughter Jean, born the 19th. Witnesses: George Shipard, taylor; James Simson, merchant.

28. **Dunchan,** John, laberor, and Elispat Allan, his spous: daughter Isabel, born the 27th, and baptized in Chapel.

Sept. 6. **Marr,** John, laberor, and Isabel Smith: bastard son Alexander, born May 3rd, and baptized in Chapel.

Johnston, William, gardner at Kings Wales, and Helen Mackay, his spous: son James, born August 31st, and baptized in Chapel.

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Sept. 10. **Still,** Robert, sailer, and Jean Burges, his spous: daughter Christian, born August 17th. Witnesses: James Dyce; John Sangster, shipmaster.

13. **Mackie,** John, floormillert at Justice mills, and Mary Hay, his spous: son James, born the 9th, and baptized in Chapel.

Strachan, James, youngest, flesher, and Isabel Martin, his spous: daughter Isabel, born the 11th. Witnesses: Robert Baxter, chapman; James Strachan, elder, flesher.

19. **Murray,** Robert, sailer, and Margrat Donald, his spous: daughter Magdalan, born August 21st (Mr. Riddoch). Witnesses: Magdalan Thomson, spouster; Margrat Golespie.

20. **McWilliam,** Peter, oulcomber, and Agnes Thain, his spous: daughter Jean, born the 20th (Mr. Riddoch). Witnesses: John Mengas and Alexander Thain, indwellers in Aberderen.

27. **Stuart,** Alexander, masson, and Jean Johnston, his spous: son Robert, born the 19th (Mr. Riddoch). Witnesses: Robert Johnston, saler; James Stuart, masson.

28. **Jenkin,** Charles, shoumar, and Elisbeth Walker, his spous: daughter Anne, born the 23rd. Witnesses: William and John Walker, hammermen.

Kynoch, Thomas, , and Elisbeth Martin, his spous: son Ninian, born the 18th (Mr. Riddoch). Witnesses: Ninian John Johnston, mercht.; James Christe, farmer.

29. **Gilcrist,** Henrie, and Suffia Nicol: bastard daughter Elisabeth, born the 24th, and baptized in Chapel.

[No date.] **Kenedy,** Alexr., leberor, and Mary Grant, his spous: daughter Jannet, born the 30th, and baptized in Chapel (Mr. Riddock).

Oct. 4. **McCleren,** John, quarrier, and Hendred Milne, his spous: daughter Isabel, baptized in Chapel (Mr. Riddoch).

11. **Bisset,** James, and Issabel Taylor, his spous: daughter Isabel, born the 4th, and baptized in Chapel.

13. **Robertson,** James, masson, and Jannet Gordon, his spous: daughter Margrat, born the 6th, and baptized in Chapel (Mr. Riddoch).

15. **Cochran,** Hugh, shipmaster, and Marha Gibbons, his spous: daughter Martha, born the 12th. Witnesses: James and Arthur Gibbans, shipmasters.

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Oct. 15. **Allan,** Colline, silversmith, and , his spous: son **Colline,** born the 15th. Witnesses: Patrick Durward, baker; William **Allan,** watchmaker.

26. **Fraser,** William, selar, and Isabela Minroe, his spous: daughter Christian, born the 26th. Witnesses: John Fraser; Robt. **Maklen,** shoumaker.

29. **Annand,** John, merchant, and Helen Smith, his spous: daughter Helen. Witnesses: Alexr. Annand, merchant; Dr. Ross.

Nov. 1. **Banks,** James, taylor, and Elisabeth Brown, his spous: daughter Christian, born Oct. 29th, and baptized in Chapel (Mr. Riddoch).

5. **Gibbons,** Robert, shipmaster, and Barbra Yets, his spous: son William, born Oct. 31st. Witnesses: Captain Arthur Gibbons; Andrew Gray, merchant.

4. **Anderson,** Alexr., and Ellen Grant, his spous: two daughters, Isabel and Jean, born the 4th (Mr. Riddoch).

7. **Will,** Andrew, farmer, and Catrine Williamson, his spous; son Alexander, born Oct. 13th. Witnesses: Andrew Will, farmer; James Berry, ridler.

8. **Gill,** Alexr., masson, and Jannet Nicol, his spous: son **Alexander,** born the 1st, and baptized in Chapel (Mr. Riddoch).

Dec. 1. **Anderson,** James, masson, and Elisabeth Thom, his spous: daughter Margrat, born Novr. 30th, and baptized in Chapel.

5. **Baird,** Charles, silk dyer, and Jean Mathewson, his spous: son Patrick, born the 2nd (Mr. Riddoch). Witnesses: Patrick **Barron,** junior; William Christie, overseer to the quarries.

10. **Dyce,** James, barber, and Jean Fordyce, his spous: daughter Margrat, born the 7th. Witnesses: George Walker, dyster; **Robt.** Dyce, merchant.

13. **Booth,** Patrick, merchant, and Ann Hogg, his spous: son Alexander, born the 11th. Witnesses: Alexander Gordon, merchant; Alexr. Milne.

20. **Baron,** Patrick, merchant, and Isabel Meldrum, his spous: son Peter, born the 18th (Mr. Riddoch). Witnesses: George and **James** Meldrum, taners.

22. **Neper,** Major, and Margrat Simpson, his lady: daughter **Isabela,** born the 19th (Mr. Riddoch). Witnesses: Capt. William **Henderson;** George Williamson, doctor to Scene.

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Dec. 23. **Waker,** George, dyster, and Isabel Fordyce, his spous: son Walter, born the 13th (Mr. Riddoch). Witnesses: Walter Cochran, indweller in Aberdeen; Alexr. Walker, merchant.

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Jan. 5. **Leslie,** William, merchant, and Ann Grant, his pous: son Luduick, born Dec. 28th (Mr. Riddoch). Witnesses: Capt. Grant, Grantsfield; James Leslie, stamper.

6. **Dyce,** Alexr., merchant, and Mary Aughterlouney, his spous: son Francis Peter, born the 5th. Witnesses: William Brebner, merchant; William Durward, merchant.

16. **Bannerman,** John, masson, and Elizabeth Linton, his spous: son John, born the 13th (Mr. Riddoch). Witnesses: William Forbes; Alexr. Bannerman, masson.

Feb. 2. **Bannerman,** Dr. Alexander, and his spous: daughter Ann, born Janry. 15th. Witnesses: John Gordon, Craig; Alexr. Bannerman, mt.

Jameson, Geo., taner, and Jean Robertson, his spous: daughter Jean, born the 2nd (Mr. Riddoch). Witnesses: Andrew Douglas, Wm. Jameson, taners.

15. **Lindsay,** Alexr., laberor, and Margrat Lindsay, his spouse: daughter Lillie, born Febry. 9th, and baptized in Chapel.

18. **Thomson,** James, mercht., and Catrine Paterson, his spous: son Hum Campbell, born the 17th (Mr. Riddoch). Witnesses: Alexr. Milne, shipmaster; Margt. Milne.

24. **Rennie,** Robert, wiver, and Jean Hadden, his spous: son Robert, born the 22nd, and baptized in Chapel.

Mar. 2. **Primrose,** William, wright, and Ann Mortimar, his spous: daughter Elisabeth, born March 1st (Mr. Riddoch). Witnesses: Mrs. Mitchel and Mrs. Niven.

7. **Mouat,** Daniel, merchant, and Margaret Stewart, his spous: daughter Irven, born the 6th. Witnesses: Mesrs. Leslie and Mesrs. Ferrior.

11. **McDonald,** Malcolm, oulcomber, and Jean Mcpherson, his spous: son John, born the 8th. Witnesses: John Ferrior and John Grant.

16. **Burnett,** William, advocate, and Margrat Taylor, his spous: son Thomas, born the 6th (Mr. Riddoch). Witnesses: Alexr. Gamactz, mercht.; Bailie Adam Duff.

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Mar. 18. **Rate,** William, mercht., and , his spous: **son James,** born the 7th (Mr. Riddoch). Witnesses: Provest **James Jopp**; **James** Alerdyce, merchant.

19. **Merchant,** Richard, coper smith, and Jean Blakhall, **his spous:** daughter Elisabeth, born the 10th (Mr. Riddoch). **Witnesses: Jean** and Catrin Law.

21. **Sharp,** James, nailmaker, and Jannet Sharp, his spouse: **daughter** Jannet, born the 16th, and baptised in Chapel (Mr. Riddoch).

Wilson, Francis, leborer, and Elizabeth Strachan, **his spous: son** Francis, born the 18th, and baptised in Chapel (Mr. Riddoch).

23. **Dyce,** Robert, merchant, and Mary Dyce, his spous: **son Robert,** born the 22nd. Witns.: Alexr, Dyce, mercht.; **John Fraser, mercht.**

April 1. **Lunan,** Charles, watchmaker, and Sarah Smith, **his spous: son** William, born March 30th (Mr. Riddoch). Witnesses: **James Clark,** gardner; James Thain, blacksmith.

2. **Strachan,** Charles, selar, and Agnes Strachan, **his spous: son** Thomas, born March 30th (Mr. Riddoch). **Witnesses: James** Strachan, taylor; Elisabeth Murray.

25. **McKenzie,** Kennet, merchant, and , his spous: **son** George, born the 19th. Witnesses: George Garrioch, **merchant**; **Dr.** John Garroch.

29. **Aiken,** Robt., sailer, and Jean Davidson, his spous: **son Edward,** born the 29th. Witns.: David Walker, cooper; **Willm. Smith, sailer.**

May 2. **Durward,** William, mercht., and , **his spous: son** Patrick, born May 1st (Mr. Riddoch). Witnesses: **Charles Burnet,** Esqr.; Patrick Durward, baker.

Mitchell, John, baker, and Margaret Laurence, **his spous:** son John, born April 30th, and baptized in Chapel.

Milne, Thomas, wiver, and Isabel Murdoch, his spous: **son** Thomas, born April 30th, and baptized in Chapel.

9. **McBain,** James, and Elspat McPherson: son **John, born the** 8th, and baptized in Chapel (Mr. Riddoch).

Mackie, Andrew, farmer, and Nans Duthie: bastard son **Robert,** born the 5th, and baptized in Chapel.

13. **Moir,** Alexr., farmer in Old Aberdeen, and Ann Vollum, **his** spous: daughter Jean, born the 11th (Mr. Riddoch). **Witnesses:** Wollum, younger and elder, wivers in Old Aberdeen.

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May 23. **Smith,** Alexander, mercht., and Ann Forbes, his spous: son John, born the 22nd. Witns.: John Still and John Smith, merchants.

25. **Cruckshank,** Alexr., farmer, and Elizabeth Davidson, his spous: daughter Agnes, born the 24th (Mr. Riddoch). Witnesses: Robt. Cruckshank and John Panton, gardners.

June 1. **Reid,** Alexr., gardner, and Catrine McGriger, his spouse: son Robert, born May 29th, and baptized in Chapel (Mr. Riddoch).

Sadler, William, labourer, and Elspat Sadler, his spous: son Thomas, born May 20th (Mr. Riddoch).

4. **Angus,** James, shoemaker, and Janet Mitchell, his spous: daughter Jean, born the 2nd (Mr. Riddoch). Witnesses: Arthur McRay, oulcomber; Charles Jnkins, shoemaker.

5. **Gellan,** Alexr., and Jannet Wallas, his spous: son William, born May 29th (Mr. Riddoch). Witnesses: Alexr. Wallas, flesher; John Wallas, shoemaker.

9. **Leslie,** George, and Isabel Watson: bastard son George, born the 4th, and baptized in Chapel (Mr. Riddoch).

13. **Mcdonald,** John, shoemaker, and Ann Mckenzie, his spous: son Alexander, born the 12th, and baptized in Chapel (Mr. Riddoch).

18. **Leslie,** Alexander, apothecary, and Mary Arburthnot, his spous: daughter Mary, born the 17th (Mr. Riddoch). Witnesses: Major James Masser; Geo. Moir, Scotstown.

Cornelius, Isaac, soldier in the 17th regt. of foot, and Ann Sim, his spous: son Isaac, born the 15th, and baptized in Chapel (Mr. Riddoch).

29. **McPherson,** Malcolm, and Katharine Mcpherson, his spous: son John, born the 18th, and baptized in Chapel (Mr. Riddoch).

July 5. **Mackay,** Robt., mercht., and Elisabeth Morgan, his spous: son Robert, born the 4th, and baptized in Chapel.

11. **Nicolson,** Peter, masson, and Isabel Morison, his spous: daughter Isabel, born the 6th, and baptized in Chapel.

13. **Marnow,** Alexander, and Margare Morison: bastard daughter Agnes, born the 11th. Witnesses: Andrew Lunan, painter; James Morison, baker.

Lovwell, Marthew, oulcomber, and Jannet Wishert, his spous: son Alexr., born the 10th, and baptized in Chapel.

14. **Legget,** John, wright, and Elisabeth Derry, his spous: son Alexr., born the 7th, and baptized in Chapel.

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July 16. **Webstar,** James, sawer, and Margaret Connan, his spous: daughter, Janet, born the 11th, and baptized in Chapel.

18. **Thomson,** John, carpenter, and Isabel Bruce, his spous: daughter Jean, born the 17th (Mr. Riddoch). Witnesses: Geo. Keith, shoumr.; James Emslay, carpenter.

22. **Wright,** Alexr., barber, and Christian Fitzgerald, his spous: son William, born the 22nd. Witnesses: William Fitzgerald, elder and younger, barbers.

[No date.] **McDonald,** Donald, labourer, and Euphan Paterson, his spous: daughter Isabel, born June 20th, and baptized in Chapel.

22. **Leith,** John, barber, and Isabel Wilson, his spous: daughter Elisabeth, born the 19th. Witnesses: James Rigg and John Wallace, vintners.

Aug. 26. **Duncan,** George, farmer, and Ann Touch, his spous: daughter Christian, born the 26th (Mr. Riddoch). Witnesses: James Christie and William Tilleray, farmers.

Sept. 3. **Reid,** John, wiver, and Elizabeth Wright, his spous: son Erchbald, born the 2nd (Mr. Riddoch). Witnesses: Peter Stewart and Peter Marnaw, wivers.

4. **Charters,** Charles, commedian, and Katharine Charters, his spous: daughter Marthaw, born August 25th, and baptized in Chapel (Mr. Riddoch).

5. **Brown,** James, sclater, and Jean Brebner, his spous: daughter Jean, born August 18th. Witnesses: John Melvin and Arthur Couts, wrights.

12. **Scorgie,** Robert, oulcomber, and Elizabeth Philip, his spous: daughter Isabel, born the 11th, and baptized in Chapel.

15. **Ferrior,** John, bookbinder, and Theadoshes Stuart, his spous: son James, born the 6th. Witnesses: James Richardson and Mistress Tourage.

16. **Still,** Alexr., flesher, and Jean Donald, his spous: son James, born the 3rd (Mr. Riddoch). Witnesses: Peter Still, flesher; John Donald, farmer.

21. **Martine,** William, wright, and Margaret Duncan, his spous: son Alexander, born the 17th (Mr. Riddoch). Witnesses: Geo. Duncan, shoemaker; Wm. Duncan, merchant.

24. **Irvine,** John, Aughmungal, and Margaret Chambers, his spous: son Patrick, born the 23rd (Mr. Riddoch). Witnesses: Patrick Leslie, hatt maker; Alexr. Alexr., merchant.

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Sept. 27. **Hume,** James, and Elisabeth Hume, his spous: belonging to the commedians: son James, born the 6th, and baptized in Chapel (Mr. Riddoch).

29. **Madacks,** John, labourer, and Elisabeth Calder: daughter Margaret, born the 26th, and baptized in Chapel (Mr. Riddoch).

Martine, James, mercht., and Margaret Burnet, his spous: son Thomas, born the 28th. Witnesses: John Annand, mercht.; Alexr. Martin, farmer.

30. **Thomson,** James, barber, and Isobel Masson, his spous: daughter Christian, born the 28th (Mr. Riddoch). Witnesses: William Williamson; James Watson, barber.

Oct. 4. **Turner,** Robert, shiraf, and Christian Wilson, his spous: daughter Elisabeth, born Sept. 30th. Witnesses: Patrick Wilson; Thomas Bannerman, merchant.

11. **Mcdonald,** John, labourer, and Margaret Cruford, his spous: daughter Isobel, born the 9th. Witnesses: George Clark, blacksmith; Katharine Taylor.

13. **Grant,** Thomas, labourer, and Catharine Lawson: son Willm., born the 10th, and baptized in Chapel.

16. **Douglas,** John, couper, and Isabel Smith, his spous: daughter Margaret, born the 11th. Witnesses: James Gibb and John Kemp.

Stinson, Alexr., wright, and Jean Smith, his spous: son William, born the 15th. Witns.: William Smith and William Leslie, merchants.

17. **Low,** John, shoemaker, and Christian Duncan, his spous: daughter Margaret, born the 14th, and baptized in Chapel.

Smart, John, wright, and Mary Keith, his spous: daughter Janet, born the 11th. Witns.: George Skene, Keith; David Walker, couper.

23. **Simpson,** William, merchant, and Barbara Doune, his spouse: daughter Barbara, born the 19th. Witnesses: Dr. Wm. Thom; Dr. Wm. Chalmers.

31. **Ross,** Norman, labourer, and Margaret McKay: daughter Ann, born the 30th, and baptized in Chapel.

Nov. 12. **Gordon,** William, merchant, and Jean Watt, his spous: son John, born Nov. 3rd. Witnesses: John Chrystal, wright; William Couts, merchant.

13. **Smith,** Alexander, chalsiman, and Janet Walker: bastard son, , born the 10th, and baptized in Chapel.

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Nov. 13. **Hebberly,** William, stocken wiver, and Dorathy Potter, his spous: daughter Jean, born the 3rd. Witnesses: Andrew Durno, shipmaster; John Dyce, merchant.

17. **Mortan,** Alexander, labourer, and Ann Wilson, his spous: son Alexander, born the 15th, and baptized in Chapel.

20. **Smith,** John, blacksmith, and Margare Milne, his spouse: daughter Margare, born the 18th (Mr. Riddoch). Witnesses: Peter Forbes and John Chrysta, laberors.

Dec. 4. **Grant,** John, labourer, and Christian Walker: daughter Christian, born Nov. 30th, and baptized in Chapel.

13. **Skein,** George, Robsland, and Jean Moir, his spouse: daughter Mary, born the 12th. Witns.: James and Charles Moir's, Stonnewood.

Annand, John, merchant, and Hellen Smith, his spouse: daughter Margt., born the 9th. Witnesses: Alexr. Annand; Dr. Ross.

19. **Anderson,** Alexander, merchant, and Effie Burr, his spous: son Gilbert, born the 17th. Witnesses: Gilbert Gronners, merchant; James Cruickshank, clerk.

26. **Boyle,** John, bookseller, and Elisabeth Jopp, his spouse: daughter Christian, born the 22nd (Mr. Riddoch). Witnesses: James Gordon, silversmith; John Smith, pewterer.

31. **Simpson,** Joseph, merchant, and Jean White, his spouse: son James, born the 20th (Mr. Riddoch). Witnesses: Alexander Milne, merchant; Dr. Alexander Ross.

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Jan. 11. **Edward,** James, oulcomber, and Ann Stott, his spous: son Alexander, born the 9th. Witnesses: John Stott, cooper; Alexander Edward, wiver.

16. **Mathew,** Alexr., masson, and Mary Moris, his spous: son Alexander, born the 16th. Witnesses: Geo. Mathew, masson; Alexr. Duncan, farmer.

23. **Will,** Andrew, farmer at Countiswells, and Margaret Frost, his spous: daughter Isabel, born the 22nd, and baptized in Chapel (Mr. Riddoch).

Ross, James, taylor, and Ann McFerson, his spous: daughter Margaret, born the 19th (Mr. Riddoch). Witnesses: Murdoch McFerson, farmer; Robt. Shaw, wright.

24. **Adam,** Alexr., shoemaker, and Mary Thean, his spous: son Alexr., born the 23rd. Witnesses: Alexr. Thean, plasterer; James Farquhar, shoemaker.

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Feb. 18. **Strachan,** George, shoemaker, and Jean Simpson, his spous: daughter Jean, born the 17th. Witnesses: Robert Wright, shoemaker; Alexander Wright, barber.

24. **Gauld,** David, staymaker, and Christian Lumsden, his spous: son John, born the 22nd. Witnesses: Alexr. Aberdeen, staymaker; William Lumsden, student.

Mar. 4. **Nepper,** Major, and , his lady: daughter Harriot Erskine, born Feb. 23rd (Mr. Riddoch). Witnesses: Francis and Hope Nepper.

21. **Snawie,** Alexander, oulcomber, and Rebakew Douglas, his spouse: son James, born the 17th. Witnesses James Snawie, hatmaker; Alexr. Will, taylor.

24. **Brigs,** Samuel, oulcomber, and Elizabeth Waddels, his spouse: two sons, John and Michael, born the 22nd. Witnesses: Andrew Anderson and Alexr. Wilkie, wivers.

April 2. **Young,** John, mercht., and Nans Downie, his spous: daughter Elizabeth, born March 25th (Mr. Riddoch). Witnesses: William Litlejohn; James Masson, merchant.

9. **Burnet,** William, advocate, and Margaret Taylor, his spouse: daughter Jean, born the 2nd. Witnesses: Bailie Adam Duff; Messrs. William Brebner.

16. **Stirlin,** William, mariner, and Christian Meldrum, his spouse: son James, born the 9th (Mr. Riddoch). Witnesses: George Meldrum and James Meldrum, taners.

24. **Lefever,** Samuel, and Elizabeth Sangster, his spouse: daughter Elizabeth, born the 18th, and baptized in Chapel (Mr. Riddoch).

30. **Gibbon,** Robert, shipmaster, and Barbara Yets, his spous; son Alexr., born the 30th. Witnesses: Mrs. Loban; Mrs. Arthur Gibbons.

May 3. **Angus,** James, labourer, and Elizabeth Fillaps, his spouse: son William, born May 2nd, and baptized in Chapel (Mr. Riddoch).

7. **Davidson,** William, farmer, and Helen Knowles, his spous: son John, born April 28th. Witnesses: John and Thomas Sims, farmers.

8. **Robertson,** George, merchant, and Ann Allan, his spouse: son George, born the 8th. Witnesses: Colin Allan, watchmaker; William Fitzgerald, barber.

10. **Boyl,** James, farmer, and Jean Edie, his spouse: son James, born the 8th. Witnesses: Alexr. and Jno. Thomsons.

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May 17. **Young,** John, merchant, and Margaret Smith, his spous: daughter Helen, born the 13th (Mr. Riddoch). Witnesses: George Molison, baker; Peter White, hooker.

22. **Creig,** William, labourer, and Ann Bean, his spous: daughter Elizabeth, born the 22nd. Witnesses: James Grant and David Michie, stablers.

26. **Strachan,** James, taylor, and Margt. Mancor, his spous: daughter Isabel, born the 24th (Mr. Riddoch). Witnesses: James Strachan and John King, taylors.

29. **Walker,** William, labourer, and Mary Naughty, his spouse: daughter Margaret, born the 26th (Mr. Riddoch). Witnesses: John Abernethy, glover; Daniel Fraser, labourer.

Kemlaw, Alexander, shoemaker, and Margt. Mathison, his spouse: daughter Christian, born the 27th (Mr. Riddoch). Witnesses: Geo. Patan, shoemaker: John Hadden, taylor.

June 4. **Forrest,** Jas., ferear, and Jannet Marr, his spouse: son William, born June 2nd. Witns: William Marr and James Crombie, farmers.

10. **Bengie,** George, stocking dresser, and Mary Robertson, his spouse: son John, born the 10th (Mr. Riddoch). Witnesses: Alexander and Wm. Bengies, farmers.

18. **Wishert,** Henry, and Isabel Nicol: bastard daughter, Ann, born the 18th. Witnesses: Alexr. Gill, masson; James Brodie, weaver.

19. **Monro,** John, nailmaker, and Mary Monro, his spouse: daughter Jean, born the 18th, and baptized in Chapel (Mr. Riddoch).

22. **Smith,** Peter, laberourer, and Mary Middie, his spouse: daughter Mary, born the 21st, and baptized in Chapel.

Buie, John, labourer, and Nance Leang, his spouse: daughter Janet, born the 21st, and baptized in Chapel.

27. **Mackie,** John, milert at Justice Mills, and Mary Hay, his spouse: son David, born the 22nd. Witnesses: James Ramsay, taylor; John Robertson, mason.

28. **Dyce,** Robert, merchant, and May Dyce, his spouse: daughter Christian, born the 26th (Mr. Riddoch). Witnesses: Alexr. Dyce and John Fraser, merchants.

29. **Gordon,** James, shoemaker, and Barbara Reid, his spouse: son Francis, born the 29th (Mr. Riddoch). Witnesses: Francis Gordon, shoemaker; James Booth, labourer.

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July 7. **Mitchell,** John, and Margaret Rae: son John, born the 7th. Witnesses: Margrat Browan and Ann Barcla.

10. **Johnstoun,** John, and Elizabeth Abernethie, his spous: son James, born the 4th (Mr. Riddoch). Witnesses: John Abernethie and William Walker, glovers.

12. **Mckinzie,** Kenet, and Margrat Giroch, his spous: son John, born Juan 26th (Mr. Riddoch). Witnesses: George Garoch, mart.; Dr. John Garoch.

31. **Bean,** William, laberor, and Isabel Sim, his spous: daughter Ketran, born the 29th, and baptized in Chapel (Mr. Riddoch).

Aug. 12. **Robertson,** James, shoumaker, and Isabel Gellan, his spous: son John, born the 9th (Mr. Riddoch). Witnesses: Androw Huchan and Androw Naghte, laberors.

26. **Garroch,** Alexr., and Margrat Smart: daughter Jean, born the 16th, and baptized in Chapel (Mr. Riddoch).

28. **Leath,** George, laberor, and Ann Suderland, his spous: son Petter, born the 23rd. Witnesses: David Hindre, oulcomber; Alexr. Will, taylor.

Sept. 4. **Meain,** Alexr., gardner, and An Willie, his spous: son John, born Sept. 1st. Witnesses: Alexr. Youlay and John Main, laxfishers.

Rennie, Robert, wiver, and Jeane Haddan, his spous: daughter Christan, born the 3rd, and baptized in Chapel.

11. **Craige,** William, and Ann Keith: daughter Sarau, born the 9th (Mr. Riddoch). Witnesses: Alexr. Robb, millert; George Keith, shoemaker.

14. **Milne,** William, oullcomber, and Elisabeth Malkam, his spous: son James, born the 14th. Witnesses: Louas Roger, oulcomer; Robert Walker, hecklar.

17. **Barran,** James, and Isabel Forgson, his spous: son Alexr., born the 12th, and baptized in Chapel.

18. **Gordon,** Thomas, massan, and Margrat Butlar, his spous: daughter Jean, born the 14th. Witnesses: Thomas Stuart and Samual Gordon, massons.

Moray, Daniel, taylor, and Helan Hay, his spous: daughter Hanna, born the 18th. Witnesses: George Forbes, taylor; John Hay, laberor.

20. **Rait,** William, mert., and , his spous: daughter Jeane, born the 11th (Mr. Riddoch). Witnesses: Provest James Jopp; James Alderdyce, mert.

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Sept. 21. **Rose,** William, laberor, and Elspat Andrson, his spous: daughter Youffia, born the 19th, and baptized in Chapel (Mr. Riddoch).

25. **Carr,** James, shoumaker, and Isabel Nell, his spous: daughter Elisabeth, born the 23rd (Mr. Riddoch). Witnesses: John Neill, wright; John King, taylor.

Massie, James, turrner, and Margrat Rannie, his spous: daughter Margrat, born the 21st (Mr. Riddoch). Witnesses: Willi Yeats, carpnder; David Moncor, mart.

29. **Baird,** Chairls, suilk dyer, and Jeane Mathison, his spous: daughter Isabel, born the 26th (Mr. Riddoch). Witnesses: Dr. Thomas Kilgour; William Christy.

Oct. 4. **Jankens,** Charels, shoumaker, and Elisabeth Walker, his spous: son William, born Sept. 27th (Mr. Riddoch). Witnesses: William and John Walkers, hamermen.

Sept. 20. **Reid,** Peter, masson, and Margrat Cochran, his spous: daughter Ann, born the 20th (Mr. Riddoch). Witnesses: Isac Dunn, mart.; Adam Duncan, lintdresar.

Oct. 2. **Dounay,** James, wright, and Anne Anderson: daughter Ann, born Oct. 2nd., and baptized in Chapel (Mr. Riddoch).

17. **Bennarman,** Dr. Allexr., and Mary Gordon, his spous: son James Androu, born the 2nd. Witnesses: George Gordon, mart.; Alexr. Milne, mart.

Nov. 9. **Thomson,** John, laberor, and Elisabeth Fresar, his spous: daughter Margrat, born the 6th, and baptized in Chapel.

12. **Reid,** John, wiver, and Rachel Rithie, his spous: daughter Jean, born the 8th (Mr. Riddoch). Witnesses: William Thomson and William Rithie, wrights.

13. **Douglas,** David, laberor, and Ann Stuart, his spous: daughter Ketran, born the 9th, and baptized in Chapel (Mr. Riddoch).

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13. **Duruard,** William, merct., and Christun Burnatt, his spous: son James, born the 10th (Mr. Riddoch). Witnesses: Patrik Duruard, baeker; Anderou Burnatt, surgan.

15. **Geadas,** John, carpendar, and Jean Malkan: basterd son John, born the 8th, and baptized in Chapel.

20. **Lunan,** Charels, wathmaker, and Sarou Smith, his spous: daughter Isabel, born the 16th. Witnesses: James Thaien, blacksmith; George Stincun, gardner.

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Nov. 27. **Lourane,** John, farmer, and Helan Barack, his spous: daughter Elisabeth, born the 21st. Witnesses: William Duncan, wight; David Smith, blacksmith.

Dec. 1. **Turnar,** Robert, shiraf-depet, and Christan Wilson, his spous: son Thomas Androu, born Nov. 22nd. Witnesses: Patrick Wilson, Esqer.; Thomas Bennarman, mert.

11. **Winton** (Quinton), Rutland (Routledge), ropmaker, and Margaret Rutland (Davidson), his spous: son Isaac, born the 11th (Mr. Riddoch). Witnesses: Georg Morgan, wiver; John Roch, neckler.

13. **Nicol,** Robert, and Ketran Corbat: basterd son John, baptized in Chapel (Mr. Riddoch).

17. **Walker,** James, gerdnar, and Margrat Shipart, his spous: son James, born the 13th. Witnesses: George Paul and James Walker, geardners.

20. **Serogie,** James, and Margrat Kintras: bastrd son William, baptized in Chapel.

22. **Stuart,** Alexr., and Eleie Clemnt, his spous: daughter Isabel, born the 21st, and baptized in Chapel.

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Jan. 3. **Reid,** Alexr., gardner, and Ketran McGrigar, his spous: son James, born Jan. 1st (Mr. Riddoch). Witnesses: Alexr. Marten, fleshar; James Wilson, masson.

5. **Bennarman,** John, masson, and Elisabeth Lintan, his spous: son Thomas, born the 2nd (Mr. Riddoch). Witnesses: Mr. Thomas Bennarman, marchant; Alexr. Bennarman, masson.

9. **Angus,** James, shoumaker, and Janet Mithal, his , son Alexr., born the 9th. Witnesses: Daved McAllan, shoumaker; Arther McChray, woll comer.

19. **Cochran,** Hugh, shipmaster, and Marthou Gibbon, his spous: son Alexr., born the 15th. Witnesses: Arther Gibbon, carpender; James Gibbon, shipmaster.

[No date.] **Will,** Alexr., and Jeane Chabers: daughter Jeane, born the 20th, and baptized in Chapel.

Feb. 13. **Harras,** Joshaph, drumar in the 68 ragemant of futt, and Hellan Harras, his spous: son Joshaph, born Jan. 5th.

21. **Leslie,** Alexr., apothicary, and Mary Arburthnat, his spous: daughter Katran, born the 21st (Mr. Riddoch). Witnesses: James Arburthnat, mert.; James Stuard, shipmaster.

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Feb. 23. **Gordon,** William, merchant, and Jean Watt, his spous: daughter Jeane, born the 16th. Witnesses: John Christal, wright; William Midlton, merchant.

Mar. 5. **Walker,** George, dayster, and Isabel Fordyce, his spous: daughter Janet, born the 3rd (Mr. Riddoch). Witnesses: Alexr. Walker, mert.; George Crukshank.

[No date.] **Skeine,** George, Robslau, and , his lady: son James, born the 7th. Witnesses: Lady Stonewode; Charils Moir, Stonewode.

12. **Strachan,** Charles, selar, and Agnas Strachan, his spous: daughter Mary, born the 3rd (Mr. Riddoch). Witnesses: James Strachan, taylor; James Murray, saler.

22. **Mcdonald,** John, shoumeker, and Agnes Mckinziy, his spous: son Androu, born the 22nd (Mr. Riddoch).

24. **Troup,** Mathou, induelar in Aberdeen, and Margrat Mercer, his spous: son George, born the 21st, and baptized in Chapel.

Williamson, John, taylor, and Isabel Mcgrigar: son Peter, born the 16th, and baptized in Chapel (Mr. Riddoch).

April 3. **Clessar,** John, and Jean Robertson: son Georg, born March 27th, and baptized in Chapel.

[No date]. **Browan,** William, blacksmith, and Janet Shiperd, his spous: son Alexr., born the 6th. Witnesses: James Browen, sleter; James Shiperd, wright.

15. **McCloud,** John, merchant, and Elizabeth Clark, his spous: son John, born the 13th (Mr. Riddoch). Witnesses: Alexr. Ross, mert.; Kenat McKinzsay.

17. **Cram,** John, cork cuter, and Jean Sadlar, his spous: daughter Elizabeth, born the 13th. Witnesses: Alexr. Card, spounmeker; John Mcdonald, shoumekr.

23. **Leuth,** John, barber, and Isabel Mithal, his spous: daughter Ann, born the 23rd.

28. **Mcdonald,** Malkem, and Jean Mcferson, his spous: son Robert, born the 27th, and baptized in Chapel.

May 1. **Irven,** John, Esquer, and Margrat Chambers, his spous: son John, born May 1st (Mr. Riddoch). Witnesses: Dr. William Thom; Georg Gordon, Rothnie.

2. **Nepar,** Mager, and , his laday: son Alexr., born April 28th (Mr. Riddoch). Witns.: Dr. Livenston and Alexr. Guroch.

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May 12. **Kenady,** Archbald, chapman, and Agnis Innas, his spous: son Peter, born the 9th, and baptized in Chapel.

18. **Leslie,** James, hat meker, and Margrat Hindrson, his spous: son Thomas, born the 15th (Mr. Riddoch). Witnesses: John Leslie, marchant; John Leslie, silver smith.

31. **McBain,** James, labror, and Elspat McFarson, his spous: son James, born the 30th, and baptized in Chapel (Mr. Riddoch).

June 1. **Thompson,** Alexr., taylor, and Jean Morison, his spous: son James, born May 30th. Witnesses: James Thompson, taylor; James Allen, mart.

4. **Gordon,** Francs, masson, and Margrat Roch, his spous: daughter Hellan, baptized in Chapel (Mr. Riddoch).

5. **Gellan,** Alexr., fleshar, and Janet Wallas, his spous: daughter Jean, born the 5th (Mr. Riddoch). Witnesses: John Walas, shoumaker; Thomas Still, coupar.

11. **Mcfarland,** Danel, selar, and Ketran Ross, his spous: daughter Ketran, born the 8th, and baptized in Chapel.

12. **Annand,** John, mert., and Hellan Smith, his spous: daughter Margrat, born the 11th (Mr. Riddoch). Witnesses: Dr. Ros; Alexr. Annand, merchand.

18. **Gelaspy,** James, oslar, and Jannat Hackt, his pous (spous): daughter Mary, born the 15th (Mr. Riddoch). Witnesses: James Strachan, fleshar; James Forat, ferraar.

25. **Ross,** William, laberor, and Ketran McKinzie, his spous: daughter Jean, born the 22nd, and baptized in Chapel (Mr. Riddoch).

29. **Keith,** William, and Ann Sim: daughter Elizabeth (Mr. Riddoch). Witnesses: William Duncan and Danil McClan, wrights.

July 2. **Brown,** James, scletar, and Jean Brebnar, his spous: daughter Ketran, born July 1st. Witnesses: Joshap Grean and William Brown, neal makers.

5. **Strachan,** George, shoumaker, and Jean Simpson, his spous: son George, born the 3rd. Witnesses: James Birnie and Wiliam Lucke, shoumakers.

10. **Thompson,** John, selar, and Isabel Brouse, his spous: son John born the 10th (Mr. Riddoch). Witnesses: John Davedson, wretir; James Bruce, gardner.

14. **Adam,** Alexr., shoumaker, and Mary Thean, his spous: daughter Margrat, born the 14th (Mr. Riddoch). Witnesses: Alexr. Thean plaster; George Adam, shoumaker.

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July 16. **Davedson,** James, botman, and Ann Weir, his spous: son Wiliam, born the 9th (Mr. Riddoch). Witnesses: Robert Couts, mert.; James Milne, wlcomr.

Ross, Alexr., chapman, and Jean Cusnie, his spous: daughter Elisabeth, born the 9th (Mr. Riddoch). Witnesses: Cherals Irven, chapin; John Thompson, ulcomer.

23. **Boyl,** John, book-binder, and Elizabeth Jop, his spous: daughter Margrat, born the 19th. Witnesses: James Gordon, silversmith; John Smith, puoteror.

27. **Wright,** Aexr., barber, and Christan Fitzgrald, his spous: son Thomas, born the 27th (Mr. Riddoch). Witnesses: Daved Langlands, scleter; William Fitzgrald, barber.

Aug. 13. **Gauld,** Daved, staymaker, and Christan Lumsdan, his spous: daughter Hindrat, born Aug. 11th. Witnesses: John Gordon, mert.; Daved Reid, wright.

16. **Young,** John, mert., and Agnes Doune, his spous: son Charels, born the 10th. Witnesses: James Masson, mart.; Peter Pirie, mert.

20. **Smith,** John, laxfisher, and , his spous: daughter.

27. **Bouth,** Peter, mert., and Ann Houghus, his spous: daughter Margrat, born the 23rd (Mr. Riddoch). Witnesses: Alex. Milne, selar; James Haket, shoumakr.

Sept. 4. **Sudrland,** Peter, laberor, and Charlat Sudrland, his spous: daughter Janet, born the 4th, and baptized in Chapel (Mr. Riddoch).

6. **Corbat,** James, laberor, and Isabel Strachan, his spous: son Robert, born the 5th, and baptized in Chapel (Mr. Riddoch).

8. **Milne,** John, masson, and Ann Scot, his spous: daughter Ann, born the 6th, and baptized in Chapel (Mr. Riddoch).

Rait, Wiliam, mart., and Suphia Hay, his spous: son John, born the 8th (Mr. Riddoch). Witnesses: Mrs. James Haket and Mrs. James Alerdyce.

10. **Sangster,** Alexr., shoumaker, and Ann Merchant, his spous: son George, born the 9th, and baptized in Chapel.

Nicol, John, and Ann Wobester: basterd son John, born Augest 20th, and baptized in Chapel.

Oct. 4. **Wilson,** Francis, laberor, and Elisabeth Strachan, his spous: son William, born the 3rd, and baptized in his on roum (Mr. Riddoch).

8. **Davedson,** James, taylor, and Ann Fleaman: dghter Elisabeth, born the 5th.

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Oct. 11. **Spence,** Alexr., flaxdresar, and Isabel Horn, his spous: son Alexander, born the 9th. Witnesses: Josahap Nearn and John Menie, flaxdresars.

13. **Forbas,** Wiliam, and Margrat Pich: basterd daughter Margrat, born the 12th.

18. **Rogar,** Louas, ropmaker, and Ann Preast, his spous: daughter Elisabeth, born the 14th, and baptized in Chapel.

Black, Adam, wolcomar, and Jean Sang, his spous: daughter Helan, born the 16th. Witnesses: Alexr. Wight; Robert Lendrum, marchant.

21. **Duncan,** George, farmar, and Ann Touch, his spous: daughter Christan, born the 16th. Witnesses: George Duncan and Wiliam Tillaray, farmars.

Nov. 1. **Serogs,** Robert, wolcomar, and Elisabeth Filp, his spous: daughter Mary, born Nov. 1st. Witnesses: John Serogs and Peter Wilson, wolcomars.

5. **Walker,** Wiliam, glover, and Mary Naughty, his spous: dayghter Jean, born the 1st, and baptized in Chapel.

6. **Bissat,** James, laberor, and Isabel Taylor, his spous: daughter Isabel, born the 4th, and baptized in Chapel.

Mcdonal, Wiliam, and Helan Grant, daughter Margrat. Witns.: Miss Pagie Taitt and Kinnat Makkngie.

Primroas, Wiliam, wight, and Ann Mortmer, his spous; son Alexr., born the 5th. Witnesses: Wiliam Anderson and John Spence, marts.

24. **Johnstoun,** John, wiver, and Elisabeth Forbes, his spous: son James, born the 23rd. Witnesses: John Reid and William Thomson, wivers.

Dec. 4. **Smith,** George, neal maker, and Isabel Connal, his spous: daughter Isabel, born Dec. 3rd, and baptized in Chapel.

6. **Stronach,** James, shoumaker in Oald Aberdeen, and Grisald Davedson, his spouse: daughter Margrat, born the 3rd. Witnesses: Gorg Balfouer, mart.; Lady Barra.

Marr, Alexr., laxfishar, and Ann Foular, his spous: daughter Elisbath, born the 3rd. Witnesses: James Marr and William Smith, laxfishers.

10. **Lindsay,** Alex., laberor, and Mary Lindsay, his spous: daughter Elizabeth, born the 10th, and baptized in Chapel.

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Dec. 17. **Reid,** Thomas, laberor, and Ann Shouan, his spous: son George, born the 12th. Witns.: Alexr. Pirray, sauer; David Menges, gardner.

Anderson, Alexr., mart., and Youfena Burr, his spous: daughter Youfena, born the 14th. Witnesses: Gilbert Gronars, mart.; John Kemp, farmar.

26. **Durward,** Wiliam, born the 26th (Mr. Riddoch). Witnesses: Alexr. Burnat, mart.; Miss Bett Burnat.

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Jan. 31. **Shirras,** James, taylor, and Jannet Stieven, his spous: son David, born the 29th. Witnesses: David Leslie, laberor; James Lieth, stocken weaver.

Feb. 3. **Hiscox,** John, and Jean Elpheston, his spous: daughter Jean, born Feb. 1st. Witnesses: Dr. Chalmers and Mrs. Elpheston.

11. **Gibbon,** Robert, shipmaster, and Barbara Yets, his spous: daughter Margrat, born the 6th. Witnesses: Arthur Gibbon and William Gibbon.

20. **Barron,** Peter, merchant, and Isabel Meldrom, his spous: daughter Ann, born the 17th (Mr. Riddoch). Witnesses: George and James Meldroms.

21. **Montgamrie,** George, and Helen Midleton, his spous: son William, born the 18th (Mr. Riddoch). Witnesses: George Midleton and John Mountgomrie.

Mar. 1. **Bain,** Donald, confectioner, and Margrat Farquer, his spous: son Alexr., born Feb. 20th. Witnesses: Alexr. Gray and James Farquer.

5. **Camron,** John, labror, and Ketran Scot, his spous: daughter Mary, baptized in Chapel.

8. **Ross,** Norman, and Margrat Macky, his spous: son Alexr., baptized in Chapel.

24. **Roie,** John, sailor, and Margrat Smeart, his spous: daughter Margrat, born the 22nd. Witnesses: John Stead and John Smeart.

April 16. **Black,** Mr., minister, and : son William. Witnesses: Dr. Livnston and Dr. Ross.

28. **Ross,** John, woolcomber, and Christan Gordon, his spous: daughter Elesabeth, baptized in Chapel.

Low, Adam, wright, and Isabel Low, his spous: son Willm., born the 24th (Mr. Riddoch). Witnesses: Willm. Shepherd, merchant; William Bartlet.

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May 19. **Strachen,** James, taylor, and Margret Moncur, his spouse: son James, born May 18th (Mr. Riddoch). Witnesses: Jas. Strachan and David Moncur.

21. **Jnanklns,** Charles, shoemaker, and Elisabeth Waker, his spouse: daughter Jean, born the 14th (Mr. Riddoch). Witnesses: William and John Walker, hammermen.

25. **Mcloud,** Murdoch, and Anne Mcloud, his spous: son Malcolm, baptized in Chapel.

June 9. **Leslie,** James, hatmaker, and Margret Hinderson, his spous: son James, born June 6th (Mr. Riddoch). Witnesses: Peter Leslie, Wm. Duthie, mercts.

May 14. **Logie,** Francis, and Margret Angus: bastard daughter Batricks, born the 12th, and baptized in Chapel.

June 16. **Forat,** James, blacksmith, and Jannet Marr, his spous: son John, born the 14th. Witnesses: Willim. Marr and James Crombie, farmers.

Craik, John, and Mary Thomson, his spous: daughter Jean, born the 9th (Mr. Riddoch). Witns.: John Innes and Willm. Smith, writers.

29. **Matthew,** Alexr., masson, and Mary Morrice, his spous: daughter Jean, born the 28th, and baptized in Chapel.

July 5. **Milne,** George, laberour, and Margret Mcerter, his spous: son Francis, baptized in Chapel.

Johnston, John, quarrier, and Elisabeth Abernethie, his spouse: son John, born the 5th (Mr. Riddoch). Witnesses: John Abernethie and Wm. Walker, glovers.

17. **Gordon,** James, shoemaker, and Barbra Reid, his spous: son James, born the 16th. Witnesses: James Gordon, goldsmith; M. Tiller, shoemaker.

20. **Morrison,** Thomas, masson, and Jean Monro, his spouse: son William, born the 18th, and baptized in Chapel.

21. **Lunan,** Charles, hatchmaker, and Sarah Smith, his spouse: daughter Ann, born the 18th. Witnesses: George Anderson, taylor; John Shirress, jouler.

30. **Grant,** Samuel, and Jannet Gordon, his spouse: daughter Mary, born the 28th. Witnesses: David Shirress and James Shirress.

Aug. 3. **Edward,** James, woolcomber, and Ann Stot, his spouse: son John, born August 2nd. Witns: John Stot, couper; John Wilson, stor.

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Aug. 9. **Mckinzie,** Kenat, and Margrat Garoch, his spouse: daughter Mary, born July 31st (Mr. Riddoch). Witnesses: Al. Garroch; Dr. John Garroch.

10. **Leslie,** Alexr., merchant, and Mary Arburthnet, his spouse: son James, born the 9th (Mr. Riddoch). Witnesses: Jas. Leslie, Esqr.; Jas. Leslie, mert.

12. **Guyn,** John, injinear, and Mry Wilman, his spous: daughter Shusanna, born the 7th. Witnesses: Arthur Gibbon, carpenter; Jas. Rig, brower.

18. **Main,** Alexr., gardnrer, and Ann Willie, his spouse: daughter Isabel, born the 16th. Witns.: John Main and Al. Willie, laberours.

14. **Leith,** John, barber, and Isobel Wilson, his spouse: son Andrew, born Aug. 9th. Witnesses: Mr. Andrew Clark and James Rigg.

Sept. 10. **Downie,** James, wright, and Ann Anderson, his spouse: son James, born Sept. 8th. Witnesses: James Robertson and Alexr. Robertson, labourers.

15. **Boyle,** James, farmer, and Jean Edie, his spouse: daughter Barbra, born the 8th (Mr. Riddoch). Witnesses: John Boyle and Alexr. Thomson.

20. **Akin,** Robert, and Margret Smith: daughter Jannet, born the 15th. Witnesses: Alexr. Carne, merchant; Jean Gellen.

24. **Nepar,** Major, and his laiday: daughter Ketran Douglas, born the 19th (Mr. Riddoch). Witnesses: George Williamson and Al. Garroch.

29. **Kemlo,** Alexr., shoemaker, and Margrat Matthews, his spous: daughter Margrat, born the 26th. Witnesses: Geo. Watan, shoemr.; Jno. Kemlo, wever.

Oct. 2. **Baird,** Charles, silkdier, and Jean Mathew, his spous: son James Moir, born Sept. 23rd (Mr. Riddoch). Witnesses: James Moir and Robert Dowie.

5. **Bown,** John, souldier in 40th Regt., and Margrat Melvan, his spouse: son George, born Sept. 22nd. Witnesses.: Geo. and John Melvan.

6. **Smart,** John, wright, and Mary Keith, his spouse: son George, born Sept. 30th. Witnesses: David Walker and Robt. Memas, coupers.

13. **Mcferson,** Georg, blacksmith, and Janet Thomson: daughter Janet; baptized in Chapel.

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Oct. 31. **Crombie,** James, farmar, and Elizabeth Warraks, his spous: daughter Elizabeth, born the 29th. Witnesses: Alexr. Crombie and John Warraks.

Nov. 17. **Carr,** James, showmaker, and Isabel Niel, his spous: son Georg, born Nov. 14th. Witns.: William Milne and William Walker, laberors.

Dec. 3. **Thompson.** Alexr., taylor, and Jean Moreson, his spous: daughter Margrat, born Nov. 28th. Witnesses: James Thomson, taylor; James Creag, masson.

5. **Forbes,** John, masson, and Jean Bissat, his spous: daughter Isabel, born the 4th. Witnesses: Peter Hervie, masson; Thomas Aikan, farmar.

12. **Bruce,** Georg, indualer in Aberdeen, and Margrat Shirrass, his spous: daughter Margrat, born the 6th (Mr. Riddoch). Witnesses: Thomas Bruce and Captn. Thomas Freaser.

22. **Douglas,** Daved, laberor, and Ann Stuart, his spous: son Daved, born the 18th, and baptized in Chapel.

Martin, William, wright, and Margret Duncan, his spouse: daughter Helan, born the 19th (Mr. Riddoch), Witnesses: William Duncan and John Mortin.

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Jan. 4. **Bannerman,** Dr., and Mary Gordon, his spouse: son George, born Dec. 17th. Witns.: Al. Bannerman and Geo. Gordon, merchants.

14. **Filp,** Geo., and Jean Tailor: bastard son Andrew, baptized in Chapel.

15. **Annand,** John, merchant, and Helan Smith, his spouse: son Alexr., born the 5th. Witnesses: Al. Annand and Dr. Ross.

19. **Booth,** Peter, merchant, and Anne Hogg, his spouse: son Patrick, born the 16th. Witnesses: Al. Gordon, mercht.; Capt. Milne.

Gollaspie, James, and Jannet Hacket, his spouse: son George, born the 15th (Mr. Riddoch). Witnesses: Geo. Smith, vintner; Jas. Strachan, butcher.

21. **Garrioch,** Al., and Jean Anderson: son Charls.

20. **Corbet,** James, laberour, and Isobel Strachan, his spouse: son Andrew, born the 20th. Witnesses: Robt. Strachan and Tom Aiken.

26. **Raitt,** Willm., mercht., and Suphia Hay, his spouse: son William, born the 21st. Witnesses: Provost Jopp and Jas. Allardyce, m.

Feb. 6. **Rose,** John, at Claehills, and Ketran Chalmers, his spouse: daughter Jannet, born Feb. 4th. Witnesses: Captain Skine and George Auldjer.

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Feb. 6. **Ferrier,** James, sailor, and , his spouse: daughter Margret, born the 3rd. Witnesses: Lady Paterson and Margret Milne.

14. **Thom,** Willm., masson, and Christian Milne, his spouse: son Willm., born the 14th. Witnesses: Tom Gordon and Alex. Morrisen.

16. **Stronach,** James, shoemaker, and Grisald Davidson, his spouse: daughter Jean, born the 14th. Witnesses: Geo. Masson and Jas. Davidson.

Mar. 2. **More,** Andrew, wright, and Margret Mordo, his spouse: son Andrew, born Feb. 26th (Mr. Riddoch). Witnesses: Wm. Reid; Chas. More, wright.

9. **Spence,** Alexr., flax-dresser, and Isabel Horn, his pouse: daughter Christan, born the 7th (Mr. Riddoch). Witnesses: Joseph Nairn and Al. Leslie.

24. **Sangster,** George, gardiner, and Christan Steven, his spouse: son Alexr., born the 24th. Witns.: Jas. Shirras; Hugh Frazer, comer.

26. **Bannerman,** John, masson, and Elspit Linton, his spouse: son Charles, born the 24th (Mr. Riddoch). Witnesses: Al. Bannerman and Al. Masson.

29. **Craig,** James, laberour, and Jean Roch, his spouse: son James, born the 26th. Witnesses: Francis Gordon, masson; Al. Roch.

April 6. **Renie,** Robert, weaver, and Jean Hadden, his spouse: son John, born April 3rd. Witnesses: John Leslie and Peter Hadden.

13. **Leith,** George, oulcomber, and Anne Sutherland, his spouse: son David, born the 12th. Witnesses: David Hindray and Arthur Mcky.

23. **Touch,** Joseph, and Elisabeth Clark, his spouse: son Lewes, born the 21st. Witnesses: Wm. Innes and Thos. Abel.

27. **Scot,** James, hat-maker, and Margret Smith, his spouse: daughter Margret, born the 26th, and baptized in Chapel (Mr. Riddoch).

Thom, James, mason, and Jean Barrie, his spouse: daughter Mary, born the 24th. Witnesses: Geo. Mathew and Al. Aberdeen.

May 4. **Trail,** James, and Jean Clark, his spouse: son John, born April 24th. Witnesses: John Gordon, Pitlurg; Thomas Gordon.

[No date.] **Adam,** Alexr., shoemaker, and Mary Thain, his spouse: daughter Mary, born May 15th. Witnesses: Al. Thean and Geo. Adam.

18. **Williamson,** John, and Jannet Friman, his spouse: son James, born the 15th. Witnesses: James Williamson and Jas. Aiken.

25. **Friman,** Willm., sailor, and Ketran Smith, his spouse: son Robert, born the 24th. Witns.: Willm. Fliman and Memas Cooper.

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May 25. **Tailor,** Joseph, and Elisabeth Blanch, his spouse: son Thos. Blanch, born the 18th. Witns.: Robt. Burnett, tannar; John Kemno.

31. **Fullon,** James, merchant, and Elspit Donald, his spouse: son James, born the 29th. Witnesses: Alexr. Tosh and James Scott.

Tosh, Alexr., and Rebekah Cruden, his spouse: son James, born the 29th. Witnesses: James Cruden; James Johnston, Badefora.

June 4. **Gorordon,** Thomas, mason, and Margret Butter, his spouse: son Patrick, born June 1st. Witnesses: Thos Stewart and James Harper.

11. **Gibbon,** Robert, shipmaster, and Barbra Yeats, his spouse: son Robert, born the 4th (Mr. Riddoch). Witnesses: Arthur Gibbon, carpendar; Willm. Gibbon, shipmaster.

18. **Howie,** John, laberour, and Agnes Leang, his spous: daughter Agnes, born the 17th, and baptized in Chapel (Mr. Riddoch).

22. **Boyle,** John, bookseller, and Elizabeth Jopp, his spouse: son Alexr., born the 13th (Mr. Riddoch). Witnesses: James Gordon, silversmith; John Smith.

July 3. **Blake,** Mr. William, minister,[1] and Hellan Simpson, his spouse: daughter Rachel, born June 30th. Witnesses: Dr. Livingstone and Willm. Simpson.

23. **Mitchell,** William, land waiter, and Janet Turner, his spouse: son Alexander, born the 15th. Witnesses: Robt. Turner, shirreff; Dr. George Skene.

30. **Cooper,** George, and Margret Malcolm, his spouse: son George, born the 30th. Witnesses: Wm. Aiken, gardiner; John King.

Aug. 1. **Rae,** John, woolcomber, and Mary Dowr, his spouse: son Alexr., born July 31st, and baptized in Chapel.

8. **Ratlief,** Quintan, ropemaker, and Margret Ratlief, his spouse: daughter Margret, born the 7th. Witnesses: Jas. Strachan; Andrew Paterson, clark.

11. **McGee,** George, and Jean Jack: son George, baptized in Chapel.

Logan, William, dyster, and Christan Mitchell, his spouse: son William, born the 11th. Witnesses: Al. Logan and Wm. Smith.

15. **Burnet,** Mr. William, advocate, and Margret Tailor, his spouse: son George, born the 9th (Mr. Riddoch). Witnesses: Alexr. Gamack and Strachan Keith.

18. **Duncan,** William, shoemaker, and Margret Strachan, his spouse: son William, born the 18th, and baptized in Chapel.

[1] Mr. Blake was Episcopal minister of the Trinity Church under agreements described at p. 17.

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Aug. 31. **Mcbain,** James, and Elspit Mcferson, his spouse: son Alexr., born the 29th, and baptized in Chapel (Mr. Riddoch).

Strachan, Charles, sailor, and Agnus Strachan, his spouse: daughter Elisabeth, born the 24th (Mr. Riddoch). Witnesses: Al. Hinderson and Jas. Strachan.

Sept. 7. **Shirres,** James, taylor, and Janet Stephen, his spouse: daughter Helan, born Sept. 5th. Witnesses: Geo. Sangestr and Charles Graham.

11. **Gordon,** William, mercht., and Jean Watt, his spouse: son Middleton, born Aug. 31st. Witnesses: Wm. Middleton and Wm. Couts, mercts.

26. **Reid,** John, weaver, and Rachel Ritchie, his spouse: son Willm., born the 23rd. Witnesses: Jno. Christy, shoemaker; Jas. Cromby.

Oct. 12. **Edward,** James, woolcomber, and Ann Stott, his spouse: son Willson, born the 11th. Witnesses: John Willson, stoking dressar; John Stott, cooper.

18. **Gauld,** Daved, staymekir, and Christan Lumsdon, his spouse: son Robert, born the 17th. Witnesses: Daved Reid and Alexr. Aberdeen.

Nov. 8. **Davedson,** John, advocat, and Helan Fergeson, his spous: son Thomas, born Nov. 1st. Witnesses: Thomas Fergeson, wright; John Davedson.

11. **Grant,** Samuel, merchant, and Janet Gordon, his spous: daughter Isabeld, born the 8th. Witnesses: Daved Shiras, wright; Mr. James Shiras, minestir.

16. **Rameg,** John, corrar, and Jean Davedson, his spous: daughter Elisabeth, born the 6th. Witnesses: Louas Mouray and John King.

29. **Napier,** Cornal, and his ladie: daughter Charlot, born the 12th (Mr. Riddoch). Witnesses: Dr. David Stuart, and the familie.

30. **Angus,** James, shoemaker, and Janet Mithall, his spous: daughter Isabeld, born the 28th. Witnesses: James Androu, tayelor; Alex. Simpson, wolcomber.

Dec. 19. **Bridgas,** John, and Ann Lason, his spous: daughter Clementania, born Dec. 11th. Witns.: James Duncan and Mrs. McQuean.

21. **Duthie,** William, and Isabel Waildgous, his spous: daughter Mary, born the 20th, and baptized in Chapel.

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Jan. 19. **Young,** John, merchant, and Agnus Dounie, his spous: son James, born the 17th. Witns.: Will. Liteljhon, wright; Captn. Durna.

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Jan. 22. **Davedson,** James, mert., and Jean Walker, his spous: son Georg, born the 19th. Witnesses: George Bruce and Will Walker.

27. **Andrson,** Alexr., mert., and Euphane Burr, his spous: son George, born the 27th. Witnesses: Gilbert Gronar and John King.

Feb. 1. **Seroges,** Robert, wool comber, and Elisabeth Fillp, his spoues: daughter Elisabeth, born Jan. 30th. Witnesses: John Serogs and Thomas Smith.

Jenkans, Chairels, shooumekar, and Elizabeth Walker, his spous: daughter Elisabeth, born Jan. 29th. Witnesses: Will and John Walker, hamermen.

Barclay, Robert, and Margrat Leaith, his spous: son William, born Jan. 24th. Witnesses: Will and John Taylor, shoumakers.

3. **Alerdyce,** James, shoumeker, and Janet Hankens, his spous: son Alexr., born the 1st., and baptized in Chapel.

15. **Corbet,** James, laberor, and Isobel Strachan, his spous: daughter Margret, born the 11th, and baptized in Chapel.

17. **Macloud,** Alexr., soulder in 73 regment of fut, and Ann Ross, his spous: daughter Janet, born the 16th, and baptized in Chapel.

Mar. 8. **Rait,** William, merct., and Suphia Hay, his spous: daughter Mary, born Feb. 26th (Mr. Riddoch). Witnesses: Proves Jopp and James Alerdyc.

11. **Grant,** Alexr., solder in 37 regmant of fut, and Elisabeth Grant, his spous: son Alexr., born the 8th and baptized Chapel.

12. **Macintosh,** John, and Margret Grant, his spous: son James Grant, born the 9th. Witns.: James Grant, Carran; William Shaw.

Forrat, James, blacksmith, and Janet Marr, his spous: daughter Margrat, born the 8th. Witnesses: Alexr. Marr and Peter Shiras.

17. **Smith,** Peter, laberor, and Mary Moudy, his spous: daughter Sara, born the 17th. Witnesses: William Johnston and George Thean.

22. **Reid,** William, gardner, and Margrat Webstar, his spous: daughter Elspat, born the 22nd. Witnesses: Peter Webster and John Webester, furmars.

24. **Thomson,** Alexr., furmar, and Elspat Keith, his spous: daughter Isabel, born the 19th, and baptized in Chapel.

25. **Robb,** George, in Threidway, and Elspat Gerrad, his spouse: son Georg, born the 25th, and baptized in Chapel.

26. **Thomson,** Georg, farmer, and Isabel Webster, his spous: daughter Jean. Witnesses: Peter Webester and Alex. Smart.

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Mar. 27. **Barber,** Robert, orgnast, and Mary Farqrson, his spous: son Josaph, born the 20th. Witnesses: William Croudan and Josaph Simpson, merchants.

April 2. **Johnstoun,** William, soulder in the 73 Regmant of foot, and Mary Ackson, his spous: son Adam Gordon, born April 1st. Witnesses: Sargen Young and Sargen Pots.

3. **Johnstoun,** John, wiver, and Elisabeth Forbas, his spous: daughter Margrat, born the 2nd. Witnesses: William Gordon, coparsmith; Peter Ellas, wright.

5. **Adams,** John, gardnar, and Sarah Boswell, his spous: son Hugh, born March 29th. Witnesses: John Anderson and Mrs. Durna.

22. **Thompson,** Alexr., taylor, and Jean Morison, his spous: son Charels, born the 17th (Mr. Riddoch). Witnesses: James Thompson, taylor; Alexr. Walker, mart.

May 3. **Brown,** Jeams, blichar, and Jean Burgas, his spous: daughter Isabell, born April 30th, and baptized in Chapel (Mr. Riddoch).

10. **Rogar,** John, laboror, and Mary Carnay, his spous: daughter Margrat, born the 2nd, and baptized in Chapel.

28. **Findlay,** James, gardnar, and Elspat Dunan, his spous: son William, born the 23rd. Witnesses: William Duncan, laberor; James Findlay, shoumaker.

June 16. **Norie,** John, painter, and Katrien Robertson, his spous: son James, born June 14th (Mr. Riddoch). Witnesses: John Robertson; John Campbill, plasteror.

Black, Mr., minestar, and Helan Simpson, his spous: son James, born June 15th. Witns.: Dr. Livenston; William Simpson, marchant.

17. **Stronach,** James, shoumekar, and Grisald Davedson, his spous: son James, born the 15th. Witnesses: James Davedson and Peter Salmon, selars.

22. **Forbas,** Wiliam, shoumaker, and Jean Malkam, his spous: daughter Janet, born the 22nd. Witnesses: John Horn, shoumaker; James Banzie, wolcomber.

28. **Walker,** Wiliam, glover, and Mary Naghty, his spous: son Adam, born the 23rd. Witnesses: John Abernethie and Thomas Treaden, skeiners.

Kamlo, Alexr., shoumekar, and Margt. Mathison, his spous: son Alexr., born the 23rd. Witnesses: James Gordon; Alexr. Glenie, merchant.

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June 28. **Thompson,** John, carpnder, and Isabeld Brucie, his spous: son James, born the 26th (Mr. Riddoch).[1]

July 19. **Robertson,** Alexr., masson, and Elisbath Macky, his spous: son Alexr., born July 15th. Witnesses: Alexr. Simpson, comer; John Stiphan, studant.

20. **Keith,** William, wright, and Ann Simm, his spous: daughter Barbrau, born July 20th. Witnesses: James Strachan, butchar; Thomas Bruce, stabelr.

21. **Cram,** John, corkcoter, and Jean Sadler, his spous: son Burnatt, born the 20th. Witnesses: John Smith, merchant; William Duncan, corkcotar.

24. **Duncan,** Georg, post, and Ann Touch, his spous: son Georg, born the 20th. Witnesses: Georg Duncan, farmer, and his son Georg.

Aug. 8. **Biverly,** William, farmer, and Elspat Duncan, his spous: daughter Ketran, born Aug. 2nd, and baptized in Chapel.

9. **Boouth,** Peter, merchant, and Ann Houg, his spous: son Robert, born the 4th. Witnesses: Capt. Milne; James Hacket, somaker.

18. **Lounan,** Charels, clok and wathmeker, and Sarah Smith, his spous: daughter Sarah, born the 10th. Witnesses: James Theain, blacksmith; John Joch, farmer.

25. **Clark,** Alexr., merchant, and Barbrow Grant, his spous: son Alexr., born the 23rd. Witnesses: Androw Clark and John Watson, indualers in Aberdeen.

Beard, Charels, silkdayer, and Jean Matheson, his spous: daughter Jean, born the 19th. Witnesses: John Creag, wretar; Robert Devie, stoken wiver.

27. **Coupar,** James, masson, and Isabel Burnatt, his spous: daughter Ann, born the 26th. Witnesses: James Metland, merchant; Mrs. Ann Lounan.

Sept. 6. **Benzie,** James, wolcomer, and Christan Forbes, his spous: son Georg, born the 5th. Witnesses: Georg Benzie, stoken scourar; Daved Taylor, carter.

27. **Bettan,** George, prentar, and Christan Brown, his spous: daughter Elisabeth, born the 22nd. Witnesses: John Boyle, bookseler; John Strachen, prenter.

[1] Last baptism by Mr. Riddoch.

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Oct. 11. **Williamson,** John, merchant, and Janet Freman, his spous: daughter Janet, born Oct. 5th. Witnesses: John Filp, taylor; **Mossas** Bernay, marchant.

13. **Cochran,** Capt. Hugh, and Marth Gibbon, his spouse: daughter Suffia, born the 9th. Witnesses: Mrs. James Gibbon and Mrs. Charles Gibbon.

24. **Bain,** Jas., flaxdresser, and Barbra Wilson, his spouse: son James, born the 21st. Witnesses: John Creab, mason; Geo. Allardyce.

Nov. 1. **Boyl,** Jas., farmer, and Jane Eddie, his spouse: son George, born Oct. 30th, and baptized in Chapel.

4. **Leith,** John, barber, and Isobel Mitchell, his spouse: daughter Isobel, born Oct. 29. Witns.: Jas. Rigg, brewer; Jno. Byers, vintnr.

8. **Lefeavour,** Samuel, roper, and Elisabeth Sangster, his spous: son William, born the 7th. Witns.: Geo. Hector, mason; Wm. Law.

11. **Gibbon,** Capt. Robt., and Barbra Yeats, his spouse: daughter Ann, born Nov. 8th. Witnesses: Arthur Gibbon, carpenter; Wm. Gibbon, ship m.

30. **Ross,** Jno., and Cathran Chalmers, his spouse: son Robert, born the 23rd. Witnesses: Capt. Skene and George Auldjo.

Dec. 3. **Leslie,** Alex., mercht., and Margt. Arburth[not], daughter Elisabeth, born Nov. 28th. Witns.: James Leslie; Thos. Black, mercht.

12. **Youngson,** Geo., and Jane Edward, his spouse: son George, born the 11th. Witnesses: Arthur Grant, shoemak; Wm. Ramsay, mealseller.

13. **Strachan,** Jas., taylor, and Margt. Moncar, his spouse: daughter Cathran, born the 12th. Witnesses: Chas. Strachan and Wm. Smith.

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Jan. 4. **Brand,** James, clark, and Barbarow Garrach, his spouse: daughter Mary, born Dec. 17th. Witnesses: Alex. Garroch and Dr. Thom.

Clark, Capt., and Cathran Paton, his spouse: daughter Cathran, born Dec. 25th. Witnesses: Mr. Robert Garrach and Mrs. Leslie.

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Dec. 19. **Nicoll,** John, tobakinest, and Ann Robertson, his spous: son James, baptized in Chapel.

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Jan. 13. **Campbell,** Duncan, millwright, and Susan Wilman, his spouse: son Arthur, born Jan. 7th. Witns.: Jno. Givin and Archd. Menzies.

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Jan. 16. **Allan,** Alex., flaxdryser, and Jane Allen, his spouse: son James, born the 13th. Witnesses: Jas. Allan, youngest and eldest.

17. **Sangster,** Wm., sailor, and Mary Hutcheon, his spouse: daughter Margret, born the 15th, and baptized in Chapel.

24. **Pirrie,** Wm., laberour, and Ellan Garden, his spouse: son Thomas, born the 21st, and baptized in Chapel.

30. **Irvan,** Jno., Esqr., and Margt. Chalmers, his spouse: daughter Rachal, born the 29th. Witnesses: Jno. Dyce and Jas. Davidson.

31. **Hinderson,** Wm., wright, and Jane Marr, his spouse: daughter Isobel, born the 28th, and baptized in Chapel.

Feb. 7. **Taylor,** Joseph, stationer, and Elesabeth Blench, his spouse: daughter Hariet, born Jan. 26. Witnesses: Mr. and Mrs. Burnett.

11. **Grant,** Samuel, mercht., and Janet Gordon, his spouse: daughter Rebecca, born the 9th. Witns.: John Leslie, jewler; Wm. Duthie.

15. **Young,** John, mercht., and Agnus Downie, his spouse: daughter Jane, born the 10th. Witns: Wm. Littlejohn; James Masson, mercht.

18. **Rhynd,** James, mason, and Mary Ross, his spouse: son Charles, born the 11th. Witnesses: Wm. Duncan and Alex. Ross.

[No date]. **Bannerman,** Dr., and Mary Gordon, his spouse: daughter Marjret, born Feb. . Witnesses: Mr. Alex. Bannerman and Mr. Gordon.

19. **Thom,** Wm., masson, and Christian Milne, his spouse: daughter Mary, born the 18th. Witnesses: Alex. Nicol, mason; John Garroch.

24. **Carr,** James, shoemaker, and Isobel Niel, his spous: son James, born the 21st. Witnesses: Wm. Walker and Wm. Milne, laberours.

28. **Chrsty,** Wm., Jnr., and Elspit Linten, his spouse: son George, born the 25th. Witnesses: George Linten and James Christy.

Mar. 2. **Napier,** Cornal, and his lady: son Mark, born Feb. 14th. Witnesses: Mr. Jno. Durno, advocate; Dr. Livingstone.

6. **Byrs,** Robt., and Margt. Burnet, his spouse: son James, born the 3rd. Witnesses: Jas. Burnet and Mr. John Durno.

2. **Thom,** James, mason, and Jane Berry, his spouse: son George, born the 1st. Witnesses: Alexr. Aberden, wool comber; Geo. Thom, mason.

11. **Jameson,** William, and Margt. Mowat, his spouse: son John, born the 7th. Witnesses: Daniel Mowat and James Thompson.

14. **Gilespy,** James, and Janet Hacket, his spouse: daughter Cathran, born the 9th. Witnesses: Wm. Golespy, mason; Thomas Bruce.

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Mar. 21. **Annand,** John, mercht., and Hellan Smith, his spouse: daughter Christian, born the 15th. Witnesses: Al. Annand and Al. Gordon.

24. **Barber,** Robert, and Mary Farquharson, his spouse: daughter Helanora, born the 20th. Witnesses: Bailie Cruden and Alex. Ross.

31. **Pearks,** Samual, hat meker, and Margrat Hussay, his spous: son William, born the 28th. Witns.: John Hutson, hatmeker; Jon. King.

April 8. **Turnar,** Robert, Esqr., and Youfana Simpson, his spous: son John, born Feb. 20th. Witnesses: John Burnatt, sener [illegible]; Dr. Robertson.

10. **Tosh,** Alexr., scoulmaster, and Rebeka Croudan, his spous: daughter Mary, born the 8th. Witnesses: Captn. James Scot and Captin William Mirison.

16. **Forbes,** John, masson, and Jean Bissat, his spous: daughter Elisabeth, born the 16th. Witns.: Thomas Aken and Robrt. Strachan.

20. **Scot,** Wiliam, blacksmith, and Margrat Rorie, his spous: son Arther, born the 10th. Witnesses: Arther Gibbon, carpnder; John Mikinzie.

24. **Walker,** Patrick, mechant, and Jean Spark, his spous: daughter Jean, born the 17th. Witnesses: Daved Bartlet, advocat; William Spark, studant.

May 2. **Reid,** John, wiver, and Rachel Ritchie, his spous: son Peter, born April 30th. Witns.: Peter Fiff, maltser; James Cobben, wiver.

6. **Tough,** Joseph, selar, and Elspat Clark, his spous: son Forbes, born the 3rd. Witnesses: Wiliam Innas, flaxdressar; Thomas Aball, baker.

9. **Morison,** Robert, baker, and Jean Smeart, his spous; son Theadoor, born the 2nd. Witnesses: Jon. Bannerma[n], masson; Joshap Forbas, wright.

16. **Speanc,** Alexr., flax dresar, and Isabel Horn, his spous: son John, born the 14th. Witnesses: Josoph Nearn, flaxdressar; Will. Strachon.

20. **Barran,** Peter, mert., and Isabel Mcdram, his spous: son Peter, born the 15th. Witnesses: George and James Meldrum, taners.

23. **Adam,** Georg, shoumeker, and Ann Davedson, his spous: son Alexr., born the 18th. Witnesses: Alexr. Davedson, clark; John Davedson, laberor.

24. **Andrson,** John, wright, and Jean Jack, his spous; son Alexr., born the 21st, and baptized in Chapel.

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June 2. **Crombie,** James, farmer, and Elisabeth Warrax, his spous: daughter Isabel, born June 1st. Witnesses: James Nicol, malster; John Warrex, farmer.

7. **Rennie,** Robert, wiver, and Jean Haddan, his spous: daughter Jannet, born the 7th. Witnesses: Peter Haddan, showmeker; William Rennie, wiver.

24. **Guin,** John, architak, and Mary Willman, his spous: daughter Ann, born the 18th. Witnesses: Arther Gibbon, carpnder; Alexr. Black, mercht.

July 2. **McCloaud,** Daniel, laberor, and Mary Mckay: son James, born July 1st, and baptized in Chapel.

3. **Norie,** John, painter, and Catrern Roberts, his spous: daughter Isabel Vealet, born June 30th. Witnesses: John Robertson, elder and younger.

8. **Smart,** John, wright, and Mary Keith, his spous: son Daved, born the 7th. Witns.: Daved Walker, couper; Revd. Mr. Skien, Keith.

9. **Ross,** Daved, wolcomber, and Isabel Boouth, his spous: daughter Ann, born the 9th, and baptized in Chapel.

15. **McDonald,** Alexr., hairdresser, and Jane Rhynd, his spouse: son George, born the 11th. Witnesses: Geo. Anderson, tailor; Jas. Duncan, farmer.

25. **McBain,** Jas., laberour, and Elspit McPherson, his spouse: daughter Hindrat, born the 24th, and baptized in Chapel.

Aug. 1. **Maver,** David, blacksmith, and Margrat Brown, his spouse: daughter Mary, born July 26th, and baptized in Chapel.

4. **Garrock,** Alexr, mercht., and Elezabeth Mare, his spouse: son William, born July 27th. Witns.: Wm. Nicol, advc.; Dr. Livingston.

6. **Ferrier,** Jas., taylor, and Seaton Smith, his spouse: daughter Mary, born the 4th, and baptized in Chapel.

16. **McLeod,** Mordoch, souldier, and Elspit McDonald: son John, born the 6th.

22. **Scrogs,** Robert, wool comber, and Elezabeth Filp, his spouse: son Jas., born the 21st. Witns.: Jas. Johnston and James Robertson.

Adam, Alex., shoemaker, and Mary Thain, his pouse: son Robert, born the 19th. Witnesses; Geo. Adam, shoemaker; Al. Thain.

23. **Bannerman,** John, mason, and Elezabeth Linton, his spouse: son William, born the 20th. Witns.: Wm. Gipson and Alexr. Mason.

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Sept. 1. **Walker,** Georg, servent to Eight, and Margrat Houat, his spous: son Georg, born the 1st. Witnesses: James Creag, stabler; John Webstar, wever.

19. **Boyl,** John, book seller, and Elisabeth Jopp, his spous: daughter Isabele, born the 16th. Witnesses: John Smith, puterr; James Gordon, juler.

25. **Madars,** John, farmar, and Jean Ritchman, his spous: son Hough, born the 12th, and baptized in Chapel.

30. **McCailan,** Daved, showmaker, and Ann Simpson, his spous: daughter Mary, born the 30th. Witnesses: John Manyne, lintdressar; James Angus, shoumak.

Oct. 11. **Baird,** Charles, seilk dayir, and Jean Mathouson, his spous: son Thoderick, born Oct. 4th. Witnesses: Thoderick Mckinge of Flowerbur; James Mar, Esquer, Edernethie.

13. **Leslie,** James, hat meker, and Margrat Hinderson, his spous: son John, born Sept. 28th. Witnesses: Petir Leslie, hat maker; John Leslie, silver.

Nov. 14. **Lunan,** Charles, watch maker, and Sara Smth, his spous: daughter Charlot, born Nov. 11th. Witnesses: James Then, blaksmith; John Lunan, prentis to a merichant.

18. **Gauld,** Daved, taylor, and Christian Lumsden, his spous: daughter Isabel, born Nov. 15. Witnesses: John Lumsdon, staudant; John Gordon.

Dec. 23. **Gordon,** Frances, masson, and Margrat Roech, his spous: son John, born Dec. 21st. Witnesses: John Davedson, advocat; John Bannerman, masson.

24. **Shirress,** James, taylor, and Janet Stephen, his spouse: daughter Jane, born Dec. 22nd. Witnesses: Jno. Glass and James Frazer.

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Jan. 30. **Stronie,** James, and Girzald Davidson, his spouse: daughter Isobella, born the 25th. Witnesses: Jas. Davidson and Georg Belfour.

Feb. 9. **Freeman,** Wm., sailor, and Cathrn. Smith, his spouse: daughter Margrat, born Feb. 8th. Witnesses: Robt. Memas, cooper; Geo. Logan, bricklayer.

28. **Booth,** Patrick, mercht., and Ann Hogg, his spouse: son Levingstone, born the 20th. Witnesses: Al. Milne and Jno. Booth.

Mar. 1. **Stewart,** Robert, and Jane Calder: son Charles, baptized in Chapel.

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Mar. 5. **Adams,** John, seidsman, and Sarah Boswell, his spouse: son Robert, born Feb. 28th. Witnesses: Mr. and Mrs. Fitzgerrald.

Logan, Wm., dyster, and Christn. Mitchell, his spous: son Robert, born the 5th. Witnesses: Al. Logan, wright; Robert Logan, mercht.

Lefever, Samul, and Elisth. Sangster, his spouse: daughter Hanna, born the 1st. Witnesses: Wm. Low and Margret Murray.

19. **Thompson,** Alex., and Jane Morison, his spouse: son John, born the 11th. Witnesses: Jas. Thompson, taylor; Andrew Thompson.

23. **Turner,** Robt., Esqr. of Meny, and Ewefena Simpson, his spouse: son George, born the 20th. Witnesses: Mr. Thos. Bannerman and Mr. Simpson, Esqr.

28. **Gibbon,** Wm., shipmaster, and Moria Cranmieur, his spouse: son Alexr., born the 12th. Witnesses: Capt. Jas. Gibbon and Capt. Chas. Gibbon.

April 13. **Gillespie,** Thos., and Elesabeth Ironside, his spouse: son Willm., born April 2nd. Witnesses: Wm. Gillispy and Al. Skinner.

24. **Martin,** Wm., farmer, and Hellan Milne, his spouse: son Matthew, baptized in Chapel.

30. **Duncan,** Wm., souldier 81 Regt., and Mary Noble, his spouse: son Alexander, born the 29th, and baptized in Chapel.

May 5. **Angus,** Jas., shoemaker, and Jannet Mitchell, his spouse: daughter Margret, born May 5th. Witnesses: James Morrison and John King.

14. **Oswell,** John, lieutenant in the 42 regiment, and Lady Elesobeth Bucket, his spouse: son Hay McDougle, born the 13th. Witnesses: Capt. Hay McDougle and Mrs. Isobel Gallen.

17. **Bruce,** George, sellar, and Marthou Allan: daughter Elisabeth, baptized in Chapel.

19. **Reid,** William, gardner, and Margret Webster, his spous: daughter Margrat, born the 15th (Dr. Paterson).[1] Witnesses: Pieter Webster, gardner; David Tayelor, farms.

25. **Ross,** Alexr., liewtenant in the 42 regiment, and Margrat Ross, his spous: daughter Cateron, born the 13th (Dr. Paterson). Witnesses: Mr. John Annand, mert.; Dr. Georg Skin.

[1] Mr. James Paterson was appointed Second Minister on 6th Jan., 1780. He died in 1782. In the "call" to him he is designed as "the Revd. Mr. James Paterson, minister of the English Chappell at Dunkeld." He is after July, 1780, referred to as Dr. Paterson.

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May 30. **Bleak,** Mr. William, minester, and Hellean Simpson, his spous: son Charles, born the 24th. Witnesses: Dr. Livenston; William Simpson, merchant.

21. **Rait,** William, mert., and Sophia Hay, his spous: daughter Sophia, born the 15th (Mr. Paterson). Witnesses: Provast James Joap; John Innes, merchant.

June 4. **Leuth,** John, barber, and Isobel Wilson, his spous; son James, born May 31st (Mr. Paterson). Witnesses: James Calder, wine mertchant; James Smith, juler.

11. **Corbat,** James, and Isabel Strachan, his spous: daughter Catarn, born the 8th, and baptized in Chapel.

14. **Benerman,** Thamas, and Mrs. Jean Simpson, his spous: daughter Eufane, born May 30th. Witnesses: Dr. Banerman and Donaldson Simpson, Esqr.

23. **Forbas,** William, show maker, and Jean Malkam, his spous: son Frances, born the 19th. Witnesses: James Forbas, show maker; James Donaldson.

25. **Bittan,** Georg, prentar, and Christan Brown, his spous: daughter Maury, born the 19th. Witns.: James and David Crukshank, wrights.

July 4. **Aitken,** Robar, souldier in the train, and Margret Smith, his spous: son Robart, born July 2nd (Dr. Paterson). Witnesses: Alxr. Strachan, taylor; John King.

12. **Irven,** Alxr., Drum, and Mrs. Jean Forbes, his lady: son Charles, born the 11th (Dr. Paterson). Witnesses: Mr. Charles Irven and Lady Shives.

15. **Gibbon,** Robert, shipmaster, and Barbry Yitts, his spous: son Arther, born the 7th (Dr. Paterson). Witnesses: Arther Gibbon, carpander; William Gibbon, shipmaster.

Aug. 1. **Thompson,** Georg, and Elspat Paul: son George, born July 30th, and baptized in Chapel (Dr. Paterson).

8. **Walker,** James, gardner, and Margrat Shipperd, his spous: son William, born the 6th (Dr. Paterson). Witnesses: George Walker and William Paul, gardners.

9. **Young,** John, marchent, and Agnes Douny, his spous: daughter Agnes, born the 8th (Dr. Paterson). Witnesses: Mr. William Littlejon, wright; Mr. James Masson, martchant.

13. **Davidson,** James, laberor, and Catern Davidson, his spous: son Alxr., born the 10th, and baptized in Chapel (Dr. Paterson).

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[No date.] **Smith,** John, and Isabel Charles: daughter Ann, baptized in Chapel.

Sept. 3. **Davidson,** Geo., farmer, and Christn. Low, his spouse: daughter Isobella, born the 3rd. Witns.: Al. Davidson and P. Low, frasermen.

10. **Melven,** Geo., gardiner, and Margt. Mane, his spouse: son George, born the 3rd. Witnesses: Geo. Melven and Andw. Mane.

13. **Allan,** Al., flaxdresser, and Jane Allan, his spouse: daughter Ann, born the 11th (Dr. Paterson). Witns.: Jas. Allan and Saml. Duncan.

Smart, John, wright, and Mary Keith, his spouse: son David Walker, born the 12th (Dr. Paterson). Witnesses: Dav. Walker and Wm. Luckie.

30. **Ross,** Jno., mercht., and Chathran Chalmers, his spouse: son George, born the 24th (Dr. Paterson). Witnesses: Bailie Auldjo and Geo. Auldjo.

Oct. 1. **Jameson,** Wm., and Mgt. Mowat, his spouse: son William, born Sept 28th (Dr. Paterson). Witnesses: Dan. Mowat and Jno. Ferrier.

15. **Lindsay,** Al., and Mgt. Lindsay, his spouse: son [sic] Margret, born the 12th, and baptized in Chapel (Mr. Paterson).

Morison, Robt., and Jane Smart, his spouse: daughter Young, born the 14th (Dr. Paterson). Witnesses: Jas. Bannerman and Joseph Forbes.

17. **Lesly,** Al., mercht., and Mary Arburthnet, his spouse: son Alexr., born the 12th (Dr. Paterson). Witns: Mr. Cruden and Al. Moir, Esq.

18. **Bowman,** Jno., and Chrstn. Leith, his spouse: daughter Mary Jane, born the 16th (Dr. Paterson). Witnesses: Andw. Thomson and Robt. Lesly.

22. **Garrow,** Jno., and Isobel Cruickshank, his spouse: son John, born the 21st, and baptized in Chapel (Dr. Paterson).

30. **Bannerman,** Dr., and Mary Gordon, his lady: son Peter, born the 9th. Witnesses: Mr. Thos. Bannerman and Geo. Gordon.

27. **Cummin,** Jas., and Margret Reid: son (Dr. Paterson).

Nov. 14. **Strachan,** Chas., and Agnus Strachan, his spouse: daughter Hellan, born the 10th. Witnesses: Jas. Strachan and Al. Henderson.

19. **Burnet,** Robt., and Mary Blanch, his spouse: daughter Dinnes, born the 5th. Witnesses: Al. Burnet and James Meldrum.

Dec. 2. **Craig,** Jno., and Jane Gordon, his spouse: son Thomas, born Nov. 15th. Witnesses: Hugh Gordon and Jas. Dun.

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Dec. 10. **Melven,** Wm., and Margret Coarser, his spouse: daughter Marthew, born the 5th, and baptized in Chapel (Dr. Paterson).

17. **Traile,** Jas., and Jane Clark, his spouse: daughter Mary, born Decr. Witnesses: James Gessiman and James Bishop.

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Jan. 2. **Mitchell,** Al., and Mary Cadwell, his spouse: daughter Ann, born Decr. 31st (Dr. James Paterson). Witnesses: Samuil Smith and Magt. Kemp.

14. **Jinkins,** Chas., and Elisabeth Walker, his spouse: daughter Sarah, born the 10th (Dr. Paterson). Witnesses: John Walker and George Simpson.

Adam, George, shoumeker, and Ann Davidson, his spouse: son James, born the 12th (Dr. Paterson). Witnesses: Jno. Davidson and Alexr. Adam.

[No date]. **Black,** : son William, born July 7th, 1776, and baptized in Chapel.

[No date]. **Black,** : daughter Magt., born May 19th, 1779, and baptized in Chapel.

16. **Black,** Wm., mercht., and Magt. Hendry: son James, born Jan. 11th (Dr. Paterson). Witnesses: Al. Lesly and Jno. King.

25. **Annand,** Jno., and Hellen Smith, his spouse: son Willm., born the 18th. Witnesses: Sir Alexr. Gordon and Al. Annand.

26. **Routluge,** Winton, and Mgt. Davidson, his spouse: daughter Mary, born the 25th. Witnesses: Jno. Rock and Jno. Many.

[No date.] **Hay,** Wm. Jamaica : servent John, baptized in his room (Dr. Paterson).

29. **Ross,** David, and Isobel Booth, his spouse: son David, born the 28th, and baptized in Chapel.

Feb. 5. **Fraser,** Wm., and Isobel Minro, his spouse: daughter Magt., born Feb. 4th (Dr. Paterson). Witnesses: George and Jno. Fraser.

12. **Simpson,** Joseph, merchant, and Fanie Burnet, his spouse: son Joseph, born Jan. 28th (Dr. Paterson). Witnesses: Wm. Simpson and Pat. Pirrie.

23. **Sangster,** William, laberor, and Mary Hutchon, his spous: son William, born the 22nd. Witnesses: Isobal Rannie and John King.

Mar. 4. **Rhind,** James, masson, and Mary Ross, his spous: son James, born March 2nd. Witns.: Wm. Duncan, wright; James Reid, masson.

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Mar. 11. **Pirrie,** William, laborer, and Hellen Garden, his spouse: son Alexr., born the 6th, and baptized in Chapel.

Christie, William, farmer, and Elst. Lintan, his spous: daughter Agnes, born the 8th. Witnesses: James Christy, ealder and younger, farmers.

Thome, James, masson, and Jean Barrie, his spous: son James, born the 10th. Witnesses: George Mathow, masson; John Milnie, stabler.

17. **Gray,** Wm., sallior, and Mary Davedson, his spous: daughter Shousana, born the 16th, and baptized in Chapel.

18. **Gordon,** Thomas, masson, and Margret Buller, his spous: daughter Margret, born the 14th. Witnesses: Alexr. Picall, masson; James Harper.

May 6. **Gauld,** Daved, stay macker, and Christan Lumsden, his spous: daughter Ann, born May 2nd. Witnesses: John Gordon, mert.; Georg Barcely, wright.

Lunan, Charles, clock an watch macker, and Sarach Smith, his spous: daughter Elspat, born the 4th (Dr. Paterson). Witnesses: Jas. Thain and Andrew Lunan.

27. **Spance,** Alexr., rop macker, and Isabel Horn, his spous: daughter Jean, born the 23rd. Witnesses: Josepth Nearn, fax dresser; Wm. Strachon, ventaner.

June 5. **Christie,** John, labrour, and May Smith, his spous; son John, born May 29th, and baptized in Chapel (Dr. Paterson).

24. **Ross,** Capt. Alexander, and Margt. Ross, his spous: daughter Alexandria, born the 10th (Dr. Paterson). Witnesses: Mr. John Annand, merchant; Mrs. Ross.

July 1. **Christie,** James, farmer, and Isobeld Black, his spous: son George, born June 25th (Dr. Paterson). Witnesses: George Black, porter; Wm. Christie, farmer.

Adam, Alexr., shomacker, and Mary Thain, his spous: son George, born June 25th (Dr. Paterson). Witnesses: Alexr. Thain; George Adam, shoumaker.

8. **McBain,** James, laberour, and Elspt. McFerson, his spous: son Donald, born the 5th, and baptized in Chapel.

Baird, Charles, silk dyer, and Jean Mathison, his spous: daughter Jean, born June 29th (Dr. Paterson). Witnesses: Livetenant Mathison; Mr. Davie, stocking wiver.

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[No date.] **Gordon,** Wm., mert., and Jean Watt, his spous: daughter **Isobela,** born July 30th. Witnesses: John Cristel and Wm. Couts.

Aug. 1. **Robertson,** Thomas, merchant, and Isabel Anderson: bastert son George, baptized in Chapel.

8. **Dumbare,** Wm., wiver, and Jean Mackie; bastert daughter Elsbath, baptized in Chapel.

11. **Carr,** James, shoumacker, and Elisbath Niel, his spous: son **John,** born the 6th. Witnesses: Wm. Walker and Al. Gellan, laberours.

12. **Strachon,** James, taylor, and Margret Mancurr: daughter **Margret,** born the 4th. Witnesses: Wm. Clubb, masson; Wm. Smith, wool comer.

Sept. 2. **Crukshank,** Charles, labourer, and Mary Middeltown, his spous: son Alexander, born Aug. 29th, and baptized in Chapel (Dr. Paterson).

7. **Mcferson,** Alexander, soulder in the 81 regt. of foot, and Elisbath Youll, his spous: son Forbes, born the 3rd (Dr. Paterson). Witnesses: James Forbes and Wm. Ogilvie, merchants.

16. **Nicoll,** John, tobacnist, and Ann Robertson, his spous: son Thomas, born the 15th, and baptized in Chapel (Dr. Paterson).

24. **Bannerman,** Mr. Thomas, merchant, and Jean Simpson, his spous: daughter Margret, born Sept. 7th. Witnesses: Dr. Alexr. Bannerman; Alexr. Milne, Esqur.

22. **Duncan,** Wm., from Granada, and Elspat Skiner: bastard son William, baptized in Chapel (Dr. Paterson).

Nov. 12. **Davidson,** Wm., and Isobel Wood: bastard daughter Shousan, baptized in Chapel (Dr. Paterson).

Oct. 14. **Wmson,** John, mertchant, and Janet Frieman, his spous: daughter Marrion Mitchel, born Oct. 2nd. Witnesses: James Wmson, labourer; John Filp, taylor.

16. **Brand,** Jas., accountant, and Barbraw Garrioch, his spous: daughter Elhan, born Sept. 26th. Witnesses: Kenet McKinzie and Alexr. Cushnie, marchants.

26. **Milne,** James, candel macker, and Margret Morison: bastard son James (Dr. Paterson).

Nov. 11. **Morison,** Robert, baker, and Jean Smart, his spous: daughter Jean, born Oct. 31st. Witnesses: Joseph Forbes, wrigh; John Bannerman, masson.

Oglvie, Wm., merchant, and Jean Youle, his spous: daughter Jean, born the 11th (Dr. Paterson). Witnesses: Geo. Bruce; Alexr. Stephen, hat maker.

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Nov. 18. **Spalden,** Andrew, accountent, and Mary Thomson, his spous: son William, born the 16th (Dr. Paterson). Witnesses: Alexander Milne; Alexander Stewar, gardner.

21. **Lumsden,** Hary, advocat, and Cathren McVay, his spous: son John Ferdinand, born the 15th. Witnesses: Profecer Ross, King's Collig; Wm. Lumsden, merchand.

Dec. 11. **Gibbon,** Robert, shipmaster, and Barbraw Yetts, his spouse: son Robert, born Dec. 2nd. Witnesses: Ct. Arthur Gibbon and Ct. Wm. Gibbon.

27. **Anderson,** James, barber, and Margrat Liper, his spous: daughter Bessie Jean, born the 9th (Dr. Paterson). Witnesses: Ct. Thomas Frasor and Doctr. Hinderson.

Randole, David, and Elspat Winshister, his spouse: son William, born the 25th, and baptized in Chapel (Dr. Paterson).

31. **Hinderson,** Peater, shoomaker, and Elspat Mare: daughter Elspat, baptized in Chapel.

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Jan. 12. **Johnstoun,** John, wiver, and Elisbat Forbas, his spous: daughter Hellan, born the 12th. Witnesses: William Robertson, labourer; John Hinderson, wiver.

28. **Campbell,** Ct. John, and Janett Willox, his spous: son Collean, born Dec. 31st. Witnesses: Ballie Willox and Regt. McCloud.

Feb. 10. **McCallan,** David, shoemacker, and Ann Simpson, his spous: son John, born Feb. 9th. Witnesses: Charles Simmires, gardner; John Mennie, flintdresser.

Mar. 2. **Crombie,** James, farmer, and Elesabeth Warrock, his spous: son James, born the 1st, and baptized in Chapel.

6. **McDonald,** Wm., souldier, and Elspat Smith: daughter Christan, baptized in Chapel.

10. **Rennie,** Robert, wiver, and Jean Haddon, his spous: daughter Grizzel, born the 8th, and baptized in Chapel.

13. **Forbes,** Willm., and Jean Malcolm, his spouse: son William, born the 12th. Witnesses: Geo. Craig; Pat. Anderson, lint dresser.

24. **Reade,** Robert, brewer, and Ann Walker: son George, born the 23rd, and baptized in Chapel.

30. **Melven,** George, gardner, and Margt. Mean, his spous: son John, born the 27th. Witns.: George Mlellan and John Mlvan, gardenars,

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April 3. **Craig,** Mr. John, writer, and Jean Gordon, his spous: daughter Mary Cummen, born March 21st. Witnesses: Shiriff Turner and Mr. Hught Gordon.

13. **Martin,** William, bucher, and Helin Milne, his spous: daughter Agness, born the 11th. Witnesses: Wm. Milne, farmer; John Martin, butcher.

15. **Leauth,** John, barber, and Isobele Wilson, his spous: son George, born the 4th. Witnesses: John Byers and George Garioch.

21. **Scott,** Wm., blacksmith, and Margret Rorie, his spous: daughter Ann, born the 10th (Mr. Walker).[1] Witnesses: Alexand. Walker, carpender; John King.

28. **Addamas,** John, ventenor, and Saraw Boeswell, his spous: son John, born the 23rd. Witnesses: John Dint, sopmacker; Wm. Fitzgerald, barber.

May 5. **Craam,** John, corkcutor, and Jean Sadlor, his spous: daughter Ann, born May 5th. Witnesses: Wm. Fleeaman, shoowmacker; Geo. Bruce, taylor.

8. **Barron,** Pat., merchan, and Isabel Meldrum, his spous: daughter Elesabth, born the 6th. Witnesses: George and James Meldrum.

12. **Jameson,** Wm., writer, and Margret Mowat, his spous: son Charles Stwart, born the 9th (Mr. Frances Walker). Witnesses: Daineil Mout, merchant; Chas. Jaimeson, clerk.

June 2. **Corbat,** James, and Isabel Strachon, his spous: daughter Elesebath, born the 2nd (Mr. Frances Walker). Witnesses: Leweas Tawes and Robert Johnstoun, wole combers.

12. **Hinderson,** John, from Jemica, and Hellan Farquarson, his spous: son Alexr. Farqurson, born the 6th. Witnesses: Alexr. Innes, advocate; Dr. Robert Stwart.

16. **Thomson,** John, dayester, and Isabel Nicoll, his spous: son Andrew, born the 15th. Witnesses: James Playfaiers, candle macker; Frances Thomson, dayester.

[1] Under date 5 April, 1782, there is an entry in the Minute Book in the following terms:—"The Revd. Mr. Walker, who had been engaged by Dr. Paterson during his illness, continued until the vacancy is supplied, with salary at the same rate as Dr. Paterson." Mr. Roderick McLeod, although appointed in March, did not commence duty till July.

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June 18. **Young,** John, merchant, and Agnes Dounie, his spous: son Frances, born the 16th (Mr. Rodrick McClouad).[1] Witnesses: Wm. Liteljohn, wright; James Masson, mert.

30. **Sipson,** Joseph, and Jannie Burnett, his spous: daughter Frances, born the 22nd. Witns.: Wm. Simpson and Patrick Pirie, merchants.

Forbes, John, masson, and Jean Bissiat, his spous: son Robert, born the 29th, and baptized in Chapel.

July 7. **Reaid,** William, gairdner, and Margt. Webester, his spous: son William, born the 5th (Mr. McClouad). Witnesses: John Euan, wright; Hugh Hay, coupar.

19. **Annand,** John, and Hellan Smith, his spouse: son William, born the 11th (Mr. Mcloud), Witnesses: Geo. Walker, dayer; Mrs. Ross.

24. **Wattie,** James, and Ann James: son Alexander, baptized in Chapel (Mr. McCloud).

26. **Anderson,** David, hat macker, and Agnes Whitte, his spous: son David, born the 7th (Mr. McCloud). Witnesses: James Leslie, hat macker; John King.

27. **Booth,** Peter, merchant, and Ann Hogg, his spous: daughter Ann, born the 18th (Mr. McCloud). Witnesses: John Booth, merchant; John Neven, martchant.

28. **White,** James, merchant, and Ann Eresken, his spous: daughter Mary Ersken, born the 21st. Witnesses: Ct. James Ersken; Patrick White, hook-mack.

Aug. 1. **Meryleis,** Andrew, cork coter, and Janett Duncan, his spous: daughter Jackabenar, born July 30th (Mr. McCloud).

3. **Erven,** Alexand, of Drum, and Jean Forbes, his lady: son Hugh, born the 1st (Mr. McCloud). Witns.: Mr. Forbes and Lady Shives.

24. **Adam,** George, shoomacker, and Ann Davidson, his spous: daughter Barberow, born the 21st (Mr. McCloud). Witnesses: Alexr. Addam, shoomacker; Mrs. Davedson.

Sept. 1. **Bannerman,** Dr. Alexr., and Mary Gordon, his spous: son Charles, born Augt. 14th. Witnesses: Charlres Bannerman, advocate; Thos. Bannerman, merchant.

22. **Walker,** George, dyster, and Isobal Fordyce, his spous: son George, born the 7th (Mr. McCloud). Witnesses: Alexr. Walker and Mr. John Annand, merchants.

[1] Mr. Roderick McLeod was appointed Second Minister on March 19, 1782. He became First Minister on Jan. 6, 1789, and resigned in 1793.

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Oct. 1. **Rett,** William, merchant, and Sophia Hay, his spous: son Alexander, born Sept. 17th (Mr. McCloud). Witnesses: Alexr. Allerdyce, Esqr.; Robt. Innes, merchant.

3. **Reed,** John, weaver, and Rachal Retchie, his spous: son John, born the Sept. 30th. Witns.: Willm. Ritchie, wright; Jas. Coblen, wr.

13. **Webster,** John, carter, and Mary Copland, his spous: daughter Jean, born the 12th. Witnesses: Petter Webster and Andrew Gray, gardners.

19. **Gordon,** Charles, Esqr., wardos, and Cateran Mersor, his lady: son James Alexr., born the 6th. Witnesses: Meager James Mersor and Mr. David Mersor.

Aug. 25. **McKnight,** James, and Hellan Leslie: son James, born Aug. 15th, and baptized in Chapel.

Oct. 27. **Thompson,** Alexr., tayler, and Jean Morison, his spous: son and daughter, James and Diana, born the 13th (Mr. McLoad). Witnesses: James Thompson, taylor; James Law, watch macker.

Dec. 3. **Davidson,** James, laberour, and Cateran Davidson, his spous: daughter Mary, born Dec. 2nd (Mr. William Gordon).[1] Witnesses: Thomas Simpson, wright; William Club, shoemacker.

8. **Mclauchlan,** Tosenie, merchant, and Christan Middleton: daughter Margret, born Nov. 28th. Witnesses: Alexr. Middleton, wright; Janet Johnston.

Feb. 24. **Reed,** Robt., salior, and Ann Walker: son George, baptized in Chapel.

Dec. 8. **Forbes,** Thos., merchant, and Margt. Walker: daughter Margret, baptized in Chapel.

24. **Turner,** Robt. mennie, Esqr., and Youfemia Simpson, his spous: son Robt. Cantly, born the 8th. Witnesses: Thomas Bannerman, merchant; Donaldson Simpson, Esqr.

29. **Allan,** Alexr., lint dresser, and Jean Allan, his spous: son George, born the 26th. Witnesses: Robt. Duncan and Alexr. Duncan, candlemakers.

[1] Under date April 23, 1783, there is an entry in the Minute Book in the following terms:— "Warrant to pay the Revd. Mr. William Gordon, son of Dr. Gordon, £10 as a complement from the Chappell in testimony of the managers' respect for Dr. Gordon and the assistance given by Mr. William Gordon in officiating in the Chappell for sometime past."

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Jan. 6. **Stwart,** Dr. David, and Jean Innes, his spous: daughter Healen, born Decr. 28th (Mr. McLoad). Witnesses: Alexr. Innes, advocate; Mr. John Stwart.

5. **McFerson,** Alexr., soldir in the 81st regt., and Elisobeth Youll, his spous: son James, born Decr. 28th. Witnesses: James Forbes, Lochermich; Alexr. Reid, roper.

20. **Black,** Wm., minr., and Hellan Simpson, his spous: son John, born the 20th. Witns.: Wm. Simpson, merchant; Mrs. Wm. Simpson.

Maver, David, blacksmith, and Margret Brown, his spous: daughter Jean, born the 18th, and baptized in Chapel.

21. **Lesslie,** Willm., drougast, and Hellan Bruce, his spous: daughter Agnes, born the 20th (Mr. McLoad). Witnesses: Baillie F. Leys; John Lessle, silver smith.

28. **Douglass,** Willm., labourer in Uper Banchrey, and Ann Milne: son George, born the 3rd, and baptized in Chapel (Mr. Wm. Gordon).

Feb. 4. **Gordon,** Willm., merchat, and Jean Watt, his spous: son Robt., born Jany. 25th (Mr. McCload). Witnesses: John Cristal, wright; John Smith, merchant.

9. **Finlatar,** Alexr., shoe macker, and Elspat Duguaid, his spous: son Willm., born the 4th (Mr. McLoad). Witnesses: Wm. Davidson and James Davedson, merchants in Old Aberdeen.

20. **Bannerman,** Thomas, merchant, and Jean Simpson, his spous: son Alexr., born Jan. 22nd. Witnesses: Dr. Bannerman; Alexander Young, merchant.

Mar. 25. **Forbes,** James, stay macker, and Mary Christey, his spous: son James, born March 24th (Mr. McLoad). Witnesses: David Gauld, stay macker; James Rhind, masson.

30. **Tosh,** Alexr., schoolmaster, and Rabecca Croudan, his spous: son Alexr., born the 27th (Mr. McLoad). Witnesses: Ct. George Knowles and Ct. Thomas Frazor.

April 13. **Baird,** Charles, silk dyer, and Jean Mathison, his spous: son Charles, born the 4th. Witnesses: Robt. Davie, stocking mercht.; John Angus, mercht.

27. **Hay,** Hugh, copper, and Ann Ewan, his spous: daughter Isabel, born the 15th. Witns.: John Ewan, wright; William Hay, labourer.

23. **Shives,** Harey, gardner, and Mary Macky, his spous: son James, born the 22nd (Mr. McLoad). Witnesses: Willm. Smith, mert.; William Nicol, masson.

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April 22. **Christie,** Willm., farmer, and Elspt. Linton, his spous: daughter Elspt., born the 19th. Witnesses: Jas. Christie and **David Nicoll,** farmers.

28. **McCay,** Hector, and Margret Youer, his spous: son **Angus,** born the 13th, and baptized in Chapel (Mr. Wm. Gordon).

30. **Lumsden,** Hary, advocat, and Cathren McVay, his spous: son Hugh, born the 29th. Witnesses: Wm. **Lumsden, merchant; Alexr.** Leith of Glenkinday.

May 11. **Strronie,** shoe maker, Old Aberdeen, and Grisald **Davidson,** his spous: son John, born the 4th (Mr. Wm. Gordon). Witnesses: **John** Annand, dancing master; Alexr. Leslie, hecklar.

20. **Smith,** William, farmer in Knockhaw, and Hellan Milne: **bastard** son Wm., baptized in Chapel (Mr. Wm. Gordon).

June 23. **Melven,** Wm., carpanter, and Margrat Corser, his spous: son James, born the 19th, and baptized in Chapel (Mr. Wm. Gordon).

20. **Coutts,** Wm., and Elisabeth Wmson: daughter **Elisabeth,** born the 15th and baptized in Chapel (Mr. McLoad).

30. **Craig,** John, writter, and Jean Gordon, his spous: **daughter Jean,** born the 24th (Mr. Wm. Gordon). Witnesses: **James Gordon, craig;** James Gordon, juelar.

July 1. **Rhind,** James, masson, and Mary Ross, his spous: **daughter** Mary, born June 23rd (Mr. Mcload). Witnesses: **Wm. Duncan,** wright; Alexr. Ross, wheel wright.

5. **Rose,** John, merchant, and Chatrine Chalmers, his spous: **son** Hugh, born the 2nd (Mr. McLoad). Witnesses: **Baillie Aldjo and** Ct. Skine.

6. **Strachon,** James, taylor, and Margt. Mancor, his spous: **son** Alexander, born the 2nd (Mr. Wm. Gordon). Witnesses: **Wm. Smith** and David Moncar, wool combers.

20. **Melvan,** John, lebourer, and Helan Mouray, his spous: **daughter** Elisabeth, born the 18th, and baptized in Chapel **(Mr. Wm. Gordon).**

21. **Mitchel,** Thomas, taylor, and Margrat Forbes, his spous: **son** George, born the 13th (Mr. McLoad). Witnesses: **John King and** Ann Henderson.

22. **Young,** John, merchant, and Agnas Dounie, his spous: **son** David, born the 20th (Mr. McLoud). Witnesses: **Wm. Littlejohn,** wright; **Alexr. Masson,** merchant.

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July 26. **Ross,** Alexr., writer, and Catharine Morison, his spous: son Alexr. Irvine, born the 24th (Mr. McLoad). Witnesses: Alexr. Ross, mert.; James Gordon, gold smith.

Forsyth, John, farmer at Robslaw, and Margrat Bartlet, his spous: daughter Margrate, born the 23rd (Mr. McLoad). Witnesses: Georg Bartlet; George Shipart, farmer.

27. **Burgess,** Hindray, drawgoun in the 1st Rayal Regt., and Lewisa Glown, his spous: son Hindray, born the 21st, and baptized in Chapel (Mr. Wm. Gordon).

28. **Hendirson,** James, cork cuttor, and Mary Murdant, his spous: son James, born the 26th, and baptized in Chapel (Mr. Wm. Gordon).

Aug. 3. **Jenkans,** Charles, shoe maker, and Elisabeth Walker, his spouse: daughter Jean, born July 28th (Mr. McLoad). Witnesses: Georg Simpson, shoe maker; Wm. Walker, hoock macker.

17. **Harrow,** William, butcher in the Bray of Pitfoddles, and Elspat Harrow, his spous: son David, born the 15th, and baptized in Chapel (Mr. Wm. Gordon).

Nicoll, Alexander, merchant, and Jean Tayler, his spous: son James, born Aug. 16th, and baptized in Chapel (Mr. Wm. Gordon).

24. **Mennie,** William, laboure, and Isabell Mckinzie, his spous: son Alexander, born the 23rd, and baptized in Chapel (Mr. Wm. Gordon).

27. **Ogilvie,** John, masson, and Ann Bain, his spous: son John, born the 25th, and baptized in Chapel (Mr. McLoad).

31. **Gibbon,** Wm., ship master, and Maria Cranmer, his spous: two sons, James and Wm., born the 25th (Mr. McLoad). Witnesses: James and William Gibbon, S. mrs.

Sept. 3. **Spalden,** Andrew, accumptent, and Mary Thompson, his spous: son Andrew, born Sept. 1st (Mr. McLoad). Witnesses: Thomas Roger; George Roger, silver smith.

Anderson, Alexander, ventner, and Eufena Burr, his spous: daughter Jessie, born Aug. 31st (Mr. McLoad). Witnesses: Dr. Frazer and James Hunter.

10. **Brown,** John, taylor, and Margt. Melven, his spous: daughter Elisabeth, born Aug. 16th (Mr. McLoad). Witnesses: George Melven, gardner; Wm. Cummin, sailer.

14. **Fife,** Alexr., mill wright, and Betty Murray, his spous: daughter Cathairine, born the 9th (Mr. McLoad). Witnesses: Petter Fife, mill wright; John Anderson, sailor.

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Sept. 14. **Knox,** Robert, maltster, and Betty Allan, his spous: **son James,** born the 8th (Mr. Wm. Gordon). Witnesses: Alexr. Allan, **flaxdresser;** John Robertson, farmer.

29. **McPhaile,** Hector, and Catrain McPhaile, his spous: **son Hector,** born the 16th (Mr. McLoad). Witnesses: **John McPhaile, labourer;** Wm. Rennie.

Oct. 5. **Philip,** Alexr., and Hellen Roch: **son Donaldson, born Sept.** 20th, and baptized in Chapel (Mr. Wm. Gordon).

6. **Smart,** John, wright, and Mary Kieth, his spous: **daughter** Hellan Simpson, born the 6th (Mr. McLoad). Witnesses: **David** Walker, cooper; Robert Memas.

8. **Carr,** James, shoemaker, and Isabell Nell, **his spous: son** Stepehend, born the 5th (Mr. McLoad). Witnesses: **Wm. Walker,** wool comber; Wm. Milne.

14. **Davidson,** James, merchant, and Chatrin Strachen, **his spous:** daughter Jeaan, born the 7th. Witnesses: Messrs. **John and George** Still, mertchants.

18. **Murray,** Alexander, Esqr., purser of the Royal **Navey, and Lady** Haster Williams, his spous: daughter Elisabeth, born **the 6th (Mr.** McLoud). Witnesses: Ritchard Smith, paper **maker; Wm. Nicol,** advocate.

27. **Crombie,** George, farmer, and Margt. Findlay, his spous: **daughter** Youfena, born the 25th, and baptized in Chapel.

Nov. 4. **Wight,** John, labourer, and Margt. Leslie, his sposes: **daughter** Isabell, born Nov. 2nd. Witns.: George Duncans, elder **and younger.**

16. **Rudiman,** John, wright, and Estar Freeman, his spous: **daughter** Hana, born the 14th (Mr. Wm. Gordon). Witnesses: **Andw. Bean,** sailor; David Hendry, wool comber.

18. **Gibben,** Robert, shipmaster, and Barbra Yett, his spous: **daughter** Isabel, born the 13th (Mr. McLoud). Witnesses: Capt. **Wm. Gibbon** and Mrs. Arthur Gibben.

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Jan. 15. **Auld,** Robert, baker, and Jean Reed, his spous: daughter **Jean,** born Jan 14th, and baptized in Chapel.

20. **Wilsen,** Wm., teacher of music, and Mary Brown, his **spous:** daughter Nancay, born the 4th (Mr. McLoud). Witnesses: **James** Charmers and John Ewan.

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Jan. 22. **Annand,** John, mercht., and Helan Smith, his spous: daughter Barbraw, born the 12th (Mr. McLoud). Witnesses: Mrs. Al. Annand and Mrs. Capt. Ross.

Simpson, Joseph, merchant, and Fannie Burnatt, his spous: son Alexander, born the 16th. Witnesses: Wm. Simpson, merchant; Pat. Pirrie, mercht.

25. **King,** John, clock and watch maker, and Jean King, his spous: son Peter, born the 21st. Witnesses: Professor Coupland and Jno. Bannerman.

27. **Lesslie,** Wm., apothecarry, and Hellan Bruce, his spous: daughter Margt., born the 16th (Mr. Mcleod). Witnesses: J. Lesslie, juler; Mr. Wm. Gordon, minister.

30. **Frazer,** Wm., sailor, and Isabel Minre, his spous: son Wm., born the 29th. Witnesses: Geo. Frazer, stay maker; Alex. Mitchell, labourer.

Feb. 8. **Adam,** Alexr., shoemaker, and Mary Thain, his spous: son William, born the 3rd. Witnesses: Wm. Milne, butchar; Geo. Adam, shoemaker.

23. **Melvan,** George, gardiner, and Margt. Main, his spous: daughter May, born the 17th (Mr. Wm. Gordon). Witnesses: George Melven, gardiner; John Brown, taylor.

26. **Mcpherson,** Donald, labourer, and Margt. Gordon: son Murdoch, born the 22nd, and baptized in Chapel (Mr. Wm. Gordon).

Mar. 28. **Boyl,** John, bookseller, and Elisabeth Jopp, his spous: daughter Ann, born March 25th (Mr. Wm. Gordon). Witnesses: James Gordon, jueler; Thomas Miller, studen in divinity.

April 2. **Gordon,** Peter, Abergelday, and Mary Farbes, his lady: daughter Cathrine, born March 13th (Mr. McLeod). Witnesses: John Forbes and Colnal Charles Gordon.

19. **Mair,** Alex., labourer, and Anne Cummen: daugher Mary, born the 19th, and baptized in Chapel (Mr. Wm. Gordon).

22. **Caie,** George, shoe maker, and Anne Bennat, his spous: daughter Janett, born the 9th (Mr. McLeod). Witnesses: Wm. Innes, writer; James Grig, shoe maker.

May 16. **Bannerman,** Thomas, mercht., and Jean Simpson, his spous: daughter Ratchell, born May 4th. Witnesses: Dr. Robertson; Charles Bannerman, advocate.

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June 20. **Stephenson,** William, gairdener, and Elisabeth Rouncay, his spous: daughter Jean, born June 16th (Mr. Wm. Gordon). Witnesses: Jas. and Geo. Walker's, gairdner's.

27. **Mcallan,** David, and Anne Simpson, his spous: three daughters, Anne, Dianna, and Margt., born June 27th (Mr. Wm. Gordon). Witnesses: Cha. Simmer, gairdner; Mrs. John Forbes.

28. **Bannar,** James, merchant, and Janet Ferguison, his spous: son John, born the 28th (Mr. Wm. Gordon). Witnesses: J. Bonner, shoemaker; Geo. Williamson, butcher.

Shirrefs, James, taylor, and Janet Stephen, his spous: son George, born the 27th (Mr. Wm. Gordon). Witnesses: George Sangster, labourer; James Forrest, taylor.

July 4. **Walker,** George, dyester, and Isabel Fordyce, his spous: son Robert, born June 23rd (Mr. Wm. Gordon). Witnesses: Dr. F. Frazes and Miss Dianna Walker, his wife.

5. **Cooper,** James, masson, and Isabel Burnet, his spous: son William, born the 4th (Mr. Wm. Gordon). Witnesses: Thomas Gordon and John Creal, massons.

16. **Donald,** Geo., farmer, and Ann Paul, his spous: son William, born the 9th, and baptized in Chapel (Mr. McLeod).

24. **Lumsden,** Heary, advocate, and Catheran McVay, his spous: son Heary, born the 16th (Mr. McLeod). Witnesses: Professor Ross; Mr. Lumsden, Cushnie.

29. **Andrew,** Alexander, farmer in the parish of Desfoord, and Margaret Gray, his spous: son George, born the 21st, and baptized in Chapel (Mr. Wm. Gordon).

Aug. 8. **Raitt,** William, merchant, and Sophia Hay, his spous: daughter Hellan, born July 27th (Mr. McLeoud). Witnesses: James Allerdyce, mercht.; Robt. Innes, mert.

Sept. 19. **Adams,** John, vintner, and Sarah Boswell, his spous: son Thomas, born the 10th (Mr. McLeod). Witnesses: John Smith, mercht.; Rob. Brands, junr.; mertchan[t].

27. **Allan,** Alexander, flaxdresser, and Jean Allan, his spous: son John, born Sept. 23rd (Mr. Wm. Gordon). Witnesses: Samwell Duncan, candle maker; Alexr. Gun, residenter in Aberdeen.

25. **Moir,** George, merchant, and Margret Christie: daughter Charleot, born the 15th, and baptized in Chapel (Mr. McLeod).

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Sept. 29. **Davidson,** John, taylor, and Isabell Mackie: son James, born the 22nd, and baptized in Chapel (Mr. Wm. Gordon).

[No date.] **Watson,** James, shoemaker, and Mary Jameson: daughter Elisabeth (Mr. Mcleod).

Nov. 10. **Gulespie,** James, ossler, and Jannet Hacket, his spous: daughter Elesabeth, born Nov. 6th (Mr. Wm. Gordon). Witnesses: Wm. Gulespie, masson; Mrs. Smith, New Inn.

13. **Ross,** Alexander, writter, and Catharine Morrison, his spous: son William, born the 11th (Mr. Mcleod). Witnesses: Alexr. Ross, mert.; James Gordon, juler.

14. **Bain,** Donald, confectioner, and Margret Farquhar, his spous: daughter Anne, born the 12th (Mr. Wm. Gordon). Witnesses: James Farquhar, shoemaker; Alexr. Farqr., mert.

18. **Gordon,** Dr. Alexander, and Elizeabeth Hervay, his spous: daughter Marey, born the 12th (Mr. Mcleod). Witnesses: James Gordon, writter; Chas. Gordon, adv.

21. **Addam,** George, shoemr., and Anne Davidson, his spous: son Davidson, born the 17th (Mr. McLeod). Witnesses: James Davidson, mertchant; Alexander Addam, shoemaker.

24. **Brebner,** Alexander, mertchant, and Christian Layes, his spous: daughter Elizeabeth, born the 20th (Mr. Mcleod). Witnesses: Baillie Frances Layes and Mr. Thomas Layes, merchants.

Dec. 15. **Tichnay,** Serjant William, of the 56th Regt. and Jean Iveray, his spous: son William, born the 12th, and baptized in Chapel (Mr. Wm. Gordon).

23. **Stwart,** Dr. David, and Jean Innes, his spous: son Alexander, born the 13th (Mr. Mcleod). Witnesses: Alexr. Innes, comissary clerk; John Gordon, Cumin, Pitlurg.

27. **McPherson,** Alexr., flax dresser, and Elisabeth Youle, his spous: daughter Ann, born the 22nd (Mr. Wm. Gordon). Witnesses: Joseph Youle, tayler; Alexr. Reid, ropmaker.

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Jan. 2. **Harrow,** William, butchar in the Bray of Pitfoddels, and Elspt. Harrow: daughter Elspet, born Sept. 30th, and baptized in Dr. Gordon's house (Mr. Wm. Gordon). Witnesses: George Harrow, labourer; James Playfair, candle maker.

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Jan. 2. **Wagral,** John, mercht., and Margt. Mitchell, his spous: daughter Oglvie, born Dec. 29th (Mr. Mcleod). Witnesses: Wm. Tough, woolcomber; John King.

10. **Knox,** Dr. Peter John, and Margret Gibben, his spous: son Hugh, born Dec. 26th (Mr. Mcleod). Witnesses: Captn. Arthur Gibbon and Capt. Robt. Gibbon.

12. **Moir,** George, souldier in the 56 Regment of foot, and Marrin Finnie, his spous: son William, born the 10th, and baptized in Chapel (Mr. Wm. Gordon).

22. **Craig,** John, writter, and Jean Gordon, his spous: daughter Margret, born the 16th. Witnesses: Dr. James Dunn and Hugh Gordon.

31. **Crombie,** George, farmer, and Margret Findlay, his spous: son William, born the 28th, and baptized in Chapel (Mr. Wm. Gordon).

Feb. 6. **Maver,** David, blacksmith, and Margret Brown, his spous: son Alexander, born Jan. 28th, and baptized in Chapel (Mr. Wm. Gordon).

13. **Lindsay,** Alexr., labourer, and Margret Lindsay, his spous: son William, born the 6th, and baptized in Chapel (Mr. Wm. Gordon).

20. **Forbes,** James, stay maker, and Mary Christie, his spous: daughter Jean, born the 15th (Mr. McLeod). Witnesses: Geo. Wilson, merchant; George Forbes, taylor.

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July 25. **Mair,** John, silver smith, and Jean Shaw: daughter Margt., baptized in Chapel (Mr. Wm. Gordon).

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Jan. 30. **Macky,** George, labourer, and Margt. Macky: daughter Anne (Mr. McLeod).

Feb. 28. **Leith,** Cornel, Leithall, and Mary Forbes, his lady: son Andrew, born the 17th. Witnesses: Ldey Forbes of Ballogie; Miss Forbes, Ballogie.

Mar. 20. **McDonald,** John, labourer, and Catherine Murdoch: son Duncan, born the 17th (Mr. McLeod). Witnesses: Hugh McDonald and Mary McDonald.

24. **McDonald,** James, gentm. servt., and Jean Yeoman: son James, baptized in Chapel (Mr. Wm. Gordon).

April 3. **Forsyth,** John, farmer, and Margaret Bartlet, his spous: daughter Jean, born March 31st (Mr. Wm. Gordon). Witnesses: George Stephen, farmer; James Birnie, gardner.

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April 6. **Thomson,** Alexander, taylor, and Jean Morison, his spous: son Alexander, born March 29th (Mr. McLeod). Witnesses: John Low and James Clark, taylors.

10. **Corbat,** James, labourer, and Isabel Strachen, his spous: son George, born the 9th, and baptized in Chapel (Mr. Wm. Gordon).

12. **Hay,** Hugh, cooper, and Anne Ewan, his spous: son Watson, born the 11th (Mr. Wm. Gordon). Witnesses: John Watson, cooper; John Ewan, wright.

15. **Baird,** Charles, silk dyer, and Jean Mathison, his spous: son Thomas, born the 5th. Witnesses: David Morice, advocate; William Duthie, merchant.

May 17. **Garden,** William, skinner, and Christian Stephenson, his spous: daughter Christian, born the 16th, and baptized in Chapel (Mr. McLeood).

26. **Simpson,** Joseph, merchant, and Fannie Burnett, his spous: son George, born the 23rd (Mr. McLeod). Witnesses: William Simpson and Patrick Pirrie, merchants.

28. **Thosh,** Alexander, schoolmaster, and Rebecka Cruden, his spous: son Thomas, born the 19th (Mr. McLeod). Witnesses: Thomas Bannerman, mercht., and

June 1. **McIntosh,** John, and Margt. Grant, his spous: son John, born May 30th (Mr. Wm. Gordon). Witnesses: William Strachan, ventner; John Moir, shop keeper.

12. **Gibbon,** Capt. Robert, and Barbra Yetts, his spous: daughter Elizabeth, born the 5th (Mr. McLeod). Witnesses: Capt. Arthur Gibbon and Cappt. William Gibbon.

16. **Brown,** John, serjant in the 63d regt. of foot, and Margt. Melven, his spous: daughter Isabela, born the 16th (Mr. McLeod). Witnesses: George Melvan, gardner; John King.

19. **McLeod,** Mr. Rodrick, minister of St. Pauls Chappel, and Helen Middleton, his spouse: daughter Elizabeth, born the 18th. Witnesses: Professor McLeod; Mr. Jas. Burnett, mercht.

26. **McLeod,** Archibald, and Margt. Ross, his spous: son Alexander, born the 26th (Mr. McLeod). Witns.: Wm. and Murdoch McLeod's.

McDarmat, John, corperal in the 56 regt., and Sophia Brands, his spous: daughter Clemen Tina, born the 25th (Mr. Wm. Gordon). Witnesses: Wm. Brands, taylor; Archibald Baker.

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July 4. **Hebron,** Alexr., masson, and Christan Robertson, his spous: son Andrew, born the 4th (Mr. Wm. Gordon). Witnesses: Andw. Arther, shoemaker; Alexander Swap.

17. **Spalden,** Andrew, accpt., and Mary Thomson, his spous: son George, born the 9th (Mr. Wm. Gordon). Witnesses: James Milne; George Roger, silver smith.

19. **Lesslie,** William, drugest, and Hellan Bruce, his spous: daughter Hellan, born the 13th (Mr. McLeod). Witnesses: Baillie Leys; James Lesslie, hatter.

21. **Anderson,** Alexander, merchant, and Effia Burr, his spous: daughter Isabella, born the 19th (Mr. Wm. Gordon). Witnesses: Wm. Smith, merchant; John King.

24. **McKenzie,** Keneth, gardner, and Maren Ross: daughter Janett, born the 12th, and baptized in Chapel (Mr. Wm. Gordon).

Moir, George, merchant, : son George, baptized in Chapel (Mr. Wm. Gordon).

Sept. 10. **Arskin,** Thomas, sailor, and Jean Davidson, his spous: daughter Mary Ann, born Sept. 6th (Mr. McLeod). Witnesses: James Davidsen, sailor; James Mitchal, wool comber.

Aug. 21. **King,** John, clock and watch maker, and Jean King, his spous: daughter Jean, born the 17th (Mr. Wm. Gordon). Witnesses: John Duncan, flaxdresser; Alexander Barron, wool comber.

Sept. 18. **Cumine,** John Gordon, Esqr., Pitlurg, and Lucken Crawford, his lady: daughter Rubena Lucken, born Aug. 29th (Mr. Wm. Gordon). Witnesses: Jas. Thomson and Lieut. Fitzgerald.

25. **Bannerman,** Thomas, merchant, and Jean Simpson, his spouse: son George, born the 21st (Mr. McLeod). Witnesses: Dr. Bannerman and Dr. Robertson.

Oct. 2. **Christie,** William, farmer, and Elspt. Lintan, his spous: son William, born Sept. 28th (Mr. Wm. Gordon). Witnesses: Jas. Christie, farmer; George Stephen, gardner.

McCallan, David, shoe maker, and Ann Simpson, his spous: son David, born Sept. 30th (Mr. Wm. Gordon). Witnesses: Chas. Symers, gardnr.; John Smith, stabler.

19. **Brands,** James, accomptantint, and Barbarou Garrioch, his spous: daughter Jean Johanna, born the 4th (Mr. McLeod). Witnesses: Alex. Garrioch, mercht.

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Oct. 25. **Edward,** James, woolcomber, and Ann Stoat, his spous: son Douglass, born the 25th (Mr. Wm. Gordon). Witnesses: John Stoat, cooper; Dond. Stwart, wool comber.

Nov. 27. **Annand,** John, mercht., and Helin Smith, his spous: daughter Barbarow, born the 17th (Mr. McLeod). Witnesses: Alexr. Annand, mercht.; Dr. F. Fraser.

Dec. 18. **Wilson,** George, sailor, and Margaret Reid, his spous: son George, born Dec. 17th (Mr. Wm. Gordon). Witnesses: George Reid, black smith; William Wilsin.

26. **Jameson,** William, advocate, and Margt. Mouat, his spous: son Thomas Francis, born the 23rd (Mr. McLeod). Witnesses: Daniel Mowat; John Ferrier, book binder.

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Jan. 1. **Bonnar,** James, klock maker, and Janet Ferguson, his spous: daughter Catherine, born Dec. 28th (Mr. Wm. Gordon). Witnesses: John Bonnar and Capt. Rymir.

15. **Shivas,** Harry, gardner, and Mary McKay, his spous: daughter Elizabeth, born the 15th (Mr. McLeod). Witnesses: William Nicol, masson; Mrs. Jafrey.

21. **Bannerman,** Doctor, and Mary Gordon, his spous: son Edward John, born Jan. 6th. Witnesses: John Gordon, merchant; Thomas Bannerman, mercht.

Bannerman, Charles, advocate, and Margt. Wilson, his spous: son Alexander, born the 15th. Witnesses: Dr. Alex. and Thos. Bannerman.

Feb. 9. **Allan,** Alexander, flax dresser, and Jean Allan, his spous: son Colan, born the 6th. Witnesses: Colan Allan and John Mathers.

Mar. 4. **Melvan,** George, gardner, and Margt. Mean, his spous: daughter Margt., born Feb. (Mr. Wm. Gordon). Witnesses: George Milvan, gardnr.; Robt. Mean, fishar.

5. **Harrow,** William, butchar in ye bray of Pitfodles, and Elspt. Harrow, his spous: daughter Isabell, born March 2nd, and baptized in Chapel (Mr. Wm. Gordon).

24. **Leith,** Colonel, of Leithall, and Mary Forbes, his lady: daughter Harriot Christian, born the 5th. Witnesses: Mrs. and Miss Forbes of Ballogie.

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Mar. 26. **Rose,** John, mercht., and Catharine Chalmers, his spous: daughter Cuilian, born the 22nd. Witnesses: Capt. Skien; Alexr. Abernithie, mercht.

28. **Allan,** Capt., and Christian Dyce, his spous: son Alexander born the 23rd (Mr. McLeod). Witnesses: Alexr. Dyce, Esqr. of Tillygrig; Robert Dyce, merchant.

Carr, James, shoemaker, and Isabel Neel, his spous: son William, born the 26th (Mr. Wm. Gordon). Witnesses: William Killay and Margaret Neill.

April 1. **Hutchan,** Alexr., Esqr., and Jean Still, his spous: daughter Jean, born March 26th (Mr. Wm. Gordon). Witnesses: Alexander Still, butcher; William Reid, gardner.

9. **Eckfoord,** Peter, wright, and Mary Morrison, his spouse: son , born the 3rd. Witnesses: William Mathison, taylor; Mrs. Jaffrey.

21. **Neel,** Nance, : son John, baptized in Chapel (Mr. Wm. Gordon).

Ennie, James, sailor, and Margt. Grant: son Alexander, baptized in Chapel (Mr. McLeod).

9. **Stephen,** William, gardner, and Elizabeth Rouncey, his spouse: son Alexander, born the 8th, and baptized in Chapel (Mr. Wm. Gordon).

23. **McLeod,** Normam, labourer, and Jean Smart, his spous: daughter Ann, born the 22nd, and baptized in Chapel (Mr. Wm. Gordon).

24. **Lefevar,** Samuel, and Elizabeth Sangster, his spous: son Rodrick (Mr. McLeod).

25. **Gray,** George, wright, and May Meston, his spouse: son George, born the 23rd (Mr. McLeod). Witnesses: John Ferrier, bookbindr.; Mr. Meston, dyer.

27. **Kiloch,** John, mercht., and Elizbth. Seymour, his spouse: son John, born the 26th. Witnesses: John Watt, mercht.; Wm. Tytler, do.

28. **Boldreck,** Joseph, sailor, and Margarit Hendrie: son Joseph, baptized in Chapel.

May 7. **Simpson,** Donaldson, Esqr., and Catharine Lousan: daughter Youefan, baptized in Chapel (Mr. Wm. Gordon).

14. **Gibbon,** James, ship master, and Suphia Gibbon, his spouse: daughter Suphia Charlotte, born the 3rd (Mr. Wm. Gordon). Witnesses: Chas. Gibbon and Capt. Thomas Brebner.

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May 17. **Ferguson,** Alexr., barber, and Ann Moir: son John, baptized in Chapel (Mr. Wm. Gordon).

21. **Hay,** Hugh, cooper, and Ann Ewan, his spous: daughter Charlet, born the 16th (Mr. Wm. Gordon). Witnesses: John Ewan, wright; Jas. Pirie, barber.

[No date.] **Kennady,** William, advocate, and Lillie Mearns: son William, born May 22nd, and baptized in Chapel (Mr. Wm. Gordon).

June 18. **Fleeman,** William, shoemr., and Margt. Watt, his spous: son William, born the 16th (Mr. Wm. Gordon). Witnesses: William Fleeman, shoemr.; John Watt, farmer.

29. **Lumsden,** Hary, advocate, and Catharine McVay, his spous: son Alexander, born the 20th (Mr. McLeod). Witnesses: Mr. Lumsden, Cushnie; Professor Ross.

July 7. **Adam,** George, shoemaker, and Ann Davidson, his spous: daughter Isabel, born the 6th (Mr. McLeod). Witnesses: James Davidson, mercht.; John Blackhall, clerk.

15. **Mollison,** Robert, farmer, and Mary Essan: son Robert, baptized in Chapel (Mr. Wm. Gordon).

30. **Knox,** Robert, and Elizabeth Allan: son Robert Irvine, born the 20th (Mr. Wm. Gordon). Witnesses: John Mathers, malt seller; Alexander Allan, flaxdresser.

Calder, James, shoe maker, and Ann Abernethie: daughter Margaret, baptized in Chapel (Mr. Wm. Gordon).

Aug. 3. **Thom,** David, servant to Mr. Allerdyce, and Margt. Davidson: son Alexander, born July 28th, and baptized in Chapel (Mr. McLeod).

13. **Strachon,** James, taylor, and Margaret Moncor, his spous: daughter Jannet, born the 10th (Mr. Wm. Gordon). Witnesses: William Esslemont, farmer; Jas. Robertson, mercht.

14. **Readhead,** William, tanner, and Jean Watterson, his spous: son James, born the 5th (Mr. McLeod).

20. **Aitken,** Peter, labourer, and Elizabeth Morrison, his spous: son James, born the 19th, and baptized in Chapel (Mr. Wm. Gordon).

Thomson, John, dyer, and Isabel Nichol, his spous: daughter Jean, born the 13th (Mr. McLeod).

27. **White,** Isack, ingraver, and Margt. Stwart, his spous: son Patrick (Mr. Wm. Gordon). Witnesses: James Stwart and Patrick White.

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Aug. 31. **Mathison,** Capt. Alexander, and Isabel Mitchel, his spous: son John, born the 21st (Mr. McLeod). Witnesses: Alexr. Ross, writer; James Taitt, land waiter.

Sept. 6. **McCoacke,** James, advocate, and Jean Rhind, his spous: daughter Isabel, born Aug. 30th (Mr. McLeod). Witnesses: James Meldrum; Peter Barron, mercht.

10. **Bain,** Donald, confectioner, and Margt. Farquhar, his spous: daughter Margaret, born the 8th (Mr. Wm. Gordon). Witnesses: Jas. Farquhar and Alexander Dyce.

Gibbon, William, shipmaster, and Maria Graham, his spous: daughter Sarah Isabel, born Aug. 28th (Mr. McLeod). Witnesses: James and William Gibbons, shipmasters.

20. **Ross,** James, laxfisher, and Anne Brown, his spous: son William, born the 20th (Mr. McLeod). Witnesses: Robert Fraser, labourer; George Fraser, sailor.

17. **Paterson,** John, sailor, and Ann Davidson, his spous: son John, born the 12th, and baptized in Chapel (Mr. Wm. Gordon).

26. **Raitt,** William, merchant, and Sophia Hay, his spous: son John, born the 20th (Mr. McLeod). Witnesses: John Torry, dyer; Robert Innes, merchant.

Oct. 1. **Jinkens,** Charles, shoemaker, and Elizabeth Walker, his spous: son Charles, born Sept. 22nd (Mr. McLeod). Witnesses: William Walker, hooker; George Simpson, shoemaker.

2. **Cumine,** John Gordon, Esqr., Pitlurg, and Lucken Craford, his spous: daughter Mary, born Sept. 14th (Mr. Wm. Gordon). Witnesses: William Gordon, Esqr.; Mrs. Gordon, Pitlurg, elder.

10. **Adam,** Alexander, shoemaker, and Mary Thain, his spous: daughter Christian, born the 8th (Mr. Wm. Gordon). Witnesses: John Oglvie, masson; William Carnegie, labourer.

13. **McComby,** John, sailor, and Margt. Strachon, his spous: son Moses, born the 13th (Mr. McLeod). Witnesses: Andw. Taws, flax-dresser; James Forbes, stay maker.

15. **McLeod,** Archibald, labourer, and Margt. Ross, his spous: daughter Betty, born the 3rd, and baptized in Chapel (Mr. McLeod).

16. **Brebner,** Alexander, merchant, and Christian Leys, his spous: daughter Jessie, born the 6th (Mr. McLeod). Witnesses: Messrs. Leys, senr. and jun.

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Oct. 22. **Fyfe,** Alexander, millwright, and Elizabeth Murray, his spous: daughter Elizabeth, born the 16th (Mr. McLeod). Witnesses: William Findlator and John Anderson, shipmasters.

23. **Creagie,** William, and Margrat Millne: son Androw, born the 10th, and baptized in Chapel (Mr. Wm. Gordon).

Nov. 12. **Rhind,** James, masson, and Mary Ross, his spous: son Alexander, born Nov. 4th (Mr. Wm. Gordon). Witnesses: Alexr. Ross, turner; William Duncan, wright.

Adams, John, vintner, and Sarah Boswell, his spous: son William, born the 5th (Mr. McLeod). Witnesses: William Holspith of New Castle; Doctor Henderson of Aberdeen.

15. **Mair,** Alexander, and Ann Couman, his spous: daughter Margaret, born the 14th (Mr. Wm. Gordon). Witnesses: James Berrie, shoemaker; Alexr. Rennie.

21. **Forbes,** John, Esq. of Blackfoord, and Ann Margaret Grigory, his spous: son Alexander, born the 1st (Mr. McLeod). Witnesses: Jonathin Forbis, brur; Mrs. Doctor Skeen.

5. **McGillwere,** Alexander, and Barbraw Wilkie: daughter Elizabeth, baptized in Chapel (Mr. Wm. Gordon).

Dec. 6. **Andrew,** Alexander, labourer in ye parish of Fordyce, and Margt. Gray: son Alexander, baptized in Chapel (Mr. Wm. Gordon).

9. **Collans,** Samuel, cotton manufactorer, and Hanna Boden, his spous: daughter Sarow, born Nov. 30th (Mr. Wm. Gordon). Witnesses: John Moslay and Mr. Torrat.

10. **Smart,** William, labourer, and Elizabeth Hutchison: daughter Ann, born the 10th, and baptized in Chapel (Mr. Wm. Gordon).

17. **Paterson,** James, soldier in the 15 regt., and Elizabeth Carty, his spous: daughter Isabell, born the 9th, and baptized in Chapel (Mr. McLeod).

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Jan. 2. **Philp,** George, merchant, and Jean Callam: son George, baptized in Chapel (Mr. Wm. Gordon).

9. **Duncan,** Alexander, nailmaker, and Mary Troup, his spous: daughter Mary, born the 7th (Mr. Wm. Gordon). Witnesses: Charls Troup and Andrew Anderson, nail makers.

10. **Ross,** Alexander, advocate, and Catharine Morrison, his spous: son James, born the 4th (Mr. McLeod). Witnesses: Alexander Ross, mercht.; Jas. Gordon, juler.

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Jan. 15. **Tait,** Alexander, stocking weaver, and Ann **Hay,** his spous: son James, born the 11th, and baptized in Chapel (Mr. Wm. Gordon).

21. **Maver,** David, blacksmith, and Margt. Brown, his spous: daughter Agnes, born the 13th, and baptized in Chapel (Mr. Wm. Gordon).

Murray, James, baker, and Agnes Harrow, his spous: son James, born the 13th. Witns.: James Hunter and William Murray, farmers.

McDarmat, John, labourer, and Sophia **Brands,** his spous: son Edward Smith, born the 17th (Mr. Wm. Gordon). Witnesses: Charles Mcka, taylor; John Daniel, wright.

24. **Watt,** William, labourer, and Allen **Cruckshank,** his spous: daughter Elizabeth, born the 21st, and baptized in Chapel (Mr. Wm. Gordon).

30. **Allan,** Alexander, and Mary Minzies: daughter **Sarraw,** baptized in Chapel (Mr. Wm. Gordon).

Feb. 4. **Lesslie,** William, druggest, and Hellen Bruce, his spous: daughter Jean, born Jan. 31st (Mr. McLeod). Witnesses: John Lesslie, silver smith; Jas. Lesslie, hat maker.

1. **Newtoun,** William Henry, lut. in the 7 regt. of Royal Fusilears, and Louisa Jean Newtoun, his spouse: son William Henry, born Jan. 16th (Mr. McLeod).

8. **Mckie,** John, labourer, and Hellan Sangster, his spous: son James, born the 8th (Mr. McLeod). Witnesses: John and Samuel Lefever's.

14. **McLeod,** Mr. Rodrick, minister of St. Paul's Chapel, and Helen Middleton, his spouse: son Norman, born the 11th. Witnesses: Professor McLeod, Old Aberdeen; Mr. James Burnett, mercht.

13. **Forbes,** William, barber, and Ann Square, his spous: son William Livingston (Mr. Wm. Gordon).

Forbes, William, barber, and Ann Square, his spous: son Robert (Mr. Wm. Gordon).

Forbes, William, barber, and Ann Square, his spous: son George Skene (Mr. Wm. Gordon). Witnesses to above three baptizems: William Innes, flaxdresser: John Bannerman, mason.

20. **Nearn,** John, labourer, and Anne Grant, his spous: son William, baptized in Chapel (Mr. Wm. Gordon).

26. **Ross,** Alexr., wright, and Jean Paterson, his spous: daughter Jean, baptized in Chapel (Mr. Wm. Gordon).

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Mar. 4. **McInnas,** Richard, accomptant, and Mary Davidson, his spous: daughter Anne, born the 1st (Mr. Wm. Gordon). Witnesses: Jno. Galloway, barber; John Watt, printer.

10. **Smith,** Alexr., paper manufactorer, and Elizabeth Dyce, his spous: son Alexander, born the 7th (Mr. McLeod). Witnesses: Principal Chalmers; John Dyce, merchant.

11. **Jamison,** Thomas, and Park Ritcheson: son Thomas, baptized in Chapel (Mr. Wm. Gordon).

Forbes, James, stay maker, and Mary Christy, his spous: daughter Mary, born the 1st (Mr. McLeod). Witnesses: John Philp and George Forbes, taylors.

13. **Crombie,** George, farmer, and Margt. Findlay, his spous: son , born the 9th (Mr. Wm. Gordon). Witnesses: John Findlay, sailer; James Forrat, smith.

17. **Hutchon,** Alexander, shoemaker, and Jean Still, his spous: son John, born the 12th (Mr. Wm. Gordon). Witnesses: Alexr. Still, butcher; Peter Still, merchant.

18. **King,** John, clock and watch maker, and Jean King, his spous: daughter Ann, born the 14th (Mr. Wm. Gordon). Witnesses: John Allan, mason; John Duncan, flaxdresser.

26. **Simpson,** Joseph, merchant, and Fannie Burnett, his spous: son William, born the 23rd (Mr. McLeod). Witnesses: Alexr. Silver, Esqr.; William Simpson, merchant.

30. **Davidson,** James, labourer, and Jannet Grant: son Alexander, baptized in Chapel (Mr. Wm. Gordon).

April 4. **Allan,** James, shoemaker, and Isabell Kemp, his spous: son James, born March 29th (Mr. McLeod). Witnesses: James Joss and Robert , shoemakers.

8. **McLeod,** Simon, labourer, and Ann Ross, his spous: son Alexander, born the 6th (Mr. McLeod). Witnesses: William McLeod and Alexander Ross.

12. **Mckenzie,** Kenneth, gardner, and Mary Ross, his spous: son Kenneth, born the 2nd (Mr. McLeod).

15. **Dunn,** William, shoemaker, and Margaret Taylor, his spous: daughter Margaret, born the 11th (Mr. Wm. Gordon). Witnesses: John Dunn, labourer; Geo. Walker, gardner.

Cushmie, Alexander, musician in the Regl. or Royal Fusiliers, and Jean Lean, his spous: son , baptized in Chapel (Mr. McLeod).

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April 20. **Wilson,** George, selar, and Margrert Reaid, his spous: son William, born the 2nd (Mr. McLeod).

May 4. **Moier,** George, marchant, and Anne Gream: daughter Jeane, baptized in Chapel (Mr. McLeod).

11. **Black,** Mr., ministar, and Hellan Simpson, his spous: daughter Anne (Mr. McLeod).

25. **Suart,** William, wol comber, and Christan Duncan: bastard daughter Christan (Mr. Wm. Gordon).

[No date.] There was a foundlain chaild baptized in the Chapel by Mr. McLeod, named Jhana Margrat: Donald McQuine and his spous, Margrat Forbas, was Godfather and mother.

28. **Bannerman,** Charils, advacat, and Margrat Wilson, his spous: daughter Catran, born the 6th.

June 10. **Annand,** John, marchant, and Helan Smith, his spous: daughter Jusse, born May 31st (Mr. McLeod).

16. **Seymes,** Charels Jefferies, late leutanent and adjutant of the 7 regt. of foot, and Eliza Angler Seyms, his spous: son Charels Jifferies, born May 23rd (Mr. McLeod).

17. **Freasr,** William, selar, and Isabel Minro, his spous: daughter Isabel, born the 16th (Mr. Wm. Gordon).

July 7. **Leaing,** Alexr., writar, and Elspat Sligo: basterd son Benjman, baptized in Chapel (Mr. Wm. Gordon).

8. **Hay,** Hugh, cupar, and Anne Euan, his spoues: daughter Cateron, born the 3rd (Mr. Wm. Gordon).

29. **Troup,** Alexr., penter, and Ann Anderson: basterd son Allexr., baptized in Chapel (Mr. Wm. Gordon).

[No date.] **Barclay,** John, shoumeker, and Catrian Hay, his spous: daughter Anne (Mr. McLeod).

4. **Alerdyc,** Alexr., of Dunster, and Anne Baxtr, his lady: son Alexr. Baxtr (Mr. McLeod). Spouncers: Alexr. Baxtr, Esquer; Mr. Jeams Allerdyc, marchent.

[No date.] **Penenten,** James, sopp boyels, and Elisabeth Wilson, his spous: son Allan (Mr. McLeod).

Aug. 5. **Ree,** John, masson, and Maray Gillat, his spous: son Nathinel (Mr. Wm. Gordon).

Mealen, Alexr., gardner, and Ann Waillie, his spous: daughter Jeane (Mr. Wm. Gordon).

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Aug. 15. **Anderson,** John, selar, and Margrat Erskien: basterd son John, baptized in Chapel (Mr. Wm. Gordon).

Marten, Leutenant Robert, and Elisabeth Grant, his spous: daughter Margrat (Mr. Wm. Gordon).

18. **Donald,** Jeams, stabelr, and Jean Roch, his spous: son John (Mr. Wm. Gordon).

19. **Charlton,** Rithard, corpral in the 7 regmant of Royel Fusrs., and Mary Candal, his spous: son William Agustus, baptized in Chapel (Mr. McLeod).

18. **Tosh,** Alexr., writing master, and Rebeca Creudan, his spous: daughter Frances (Mr. McLeod).

Sept. 12. **Allan,** Capt. Robert, and Christan Dyce, his spous: daughter Christan (Mr. McLeod).

16. **Bannerman,** Thomas, merchant, and Jean Simpson, his sous: son Thomas, born the 9th (Mr. McLeod).

Harrou, Willam, fleshar, and Elspat Harrou, his spous: daughter Agnes (Mr. Wm. Gordon).

21. **Killoch,** John, merchant, and Elisabeth Semars, his spous: daughter Jeane (Mr. McLeod).

23. **Bengie,** John, laberor, and Margrat Murdoch, his spous: daughter Christan (Mr. McLeod).

Oct. 1. **McLeod,** Donald, and Janet McLeod: daughter Janet (Mr. McLeod).

15. **Brand,** James, acountent, and Barbrou Garroch, his spous: son Alexr. (Mr. Wm. Gordon). Witnesses: Allexr. Garroch and Alexr. Simpson.

16. **McComby,** James, soulder in the 15 regt., and Ann Muray, his spous: son Jeams, baptized in Chapel (Mr. Wm. Gordon).

21. **Shives,** Alexr., laberor, and Janet Robbie, his spous: son William, baptized in Chapel (Mr. Wm. Gordon).

Layon, John, suldor, and Margrat Sangester: son John, baptized in Chapel (Mr. Wm. Gordon).

29. **Gibbon,** Capt. Robert, and Barbrou Yeats, his spous: daughter Jean (Mr. Wm. Gordon).

28. **Warran,** William, maltster, and Elspat Collie, his spous: son William (Mr. Wm. Gordon).

Nov. 10. **Milne,** Peter, Esquer, and Margrat Boouth: daughter Margrat, baptized in Chapel (Mr. Wm. Gordon).

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Nov. 13. **Garden,** William, haierer, and Janet Craisty: **daughter Janet,** baptized in Chapel (Mr. Wm. Gordon).

16. **Carr,** George, flaxdesar, and Agnes Begg, **his spous: son Jeams,** baptized in Chapel (Mr. Wm. Gordon).

29. **Mack Cook,** Jeams, advocat, and Jeane Raind, **his spous:** son James.

Dec. 6. **Crail,** Georg, selair, and Hellan Duncan: **son George,** baptized in Chapel (Mr. Wm. Gordon).

7. **McAllan,** Daved, shoumeker, and Ann Simson, **his spous:** daughter Anne (Mr. Wm. Gordon).

9. **Dason,** John, baker, and Jean Mouet: son **William,** baptized in Chapel (Mr. Wm. Gordon).

11. **Chraisty,** Jeams, and Isabel Black, his spous: **son Jeams** (Mr. Wm. Gordon).

14. **Robrtson,** William, labror, and Isabel Hutchan, **his spous:** daughter Jeasse, baptized in Chapel (Mr. McLeod).

19. **Lean,** Burnat, soulaer in the 7 regt. of Royl **Fuslears, and Elisa**beth Lean, his spous: daughter Nanesy, **baptised in Chapel** (Mr. McLeod).

25. **Thomson,** James, marchant, and Helan Roch: **son James,** baptized in Chapel (Mr. Wm. Gordon).

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Jan. 6. **Boswell,** Alexr., selar, and Jean Norie, his spous: **son William** (Mr. Wm. Gordon).

Feb. 15. **Boouth,** Jeams, gardner, and Janet Robrtson, **his spous: son** George, baptized in Chapel (Mr. Mcleod).

24. **Craick,** Thomas, corpral in the 7 regt. of Royl **Fuslears, and** Elisabeth Melven, his spous: daughter Margrat (Mr. McLeod).

Mar. 15. **Grant,** James, selar, and Margrat Marr, his spous: **son Jeams,** baptized in Chapel (Mr. Wm. Gordon).

20. **Allan,** Alexr., flaxdresar, and Jean Allan, his spous: **daughter** Reebakia. Witnesses: Colan Allan and Jams Robrtson.

26. **Adam,** George, shoumaker, and Anne Davedson, **his spous:** daughter Isabel Scott, born the 17th (Mr. McLeod).

April 8. **Forbas,** John, Esquar, Blackfourd, and Anna **Margaretth Gregory,** his spous: son John, born March 26th (Mr. McLeod).

16. **Ross,** James, laxfishar, and Anne Brown, his spous: **son James** (Mr. McLeod).

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April 17. **Leslie,** John, saler, and Jean Mathow, his spous: daughter Elspat (Mr. McLeod).

21. **Armowr,** James, cutlar, and Mary Brown, his spous: son James (Mr. Wm. Gordon).

28. **Procter,** James, sadler, and Jean Leuth, his spous: daughter Anne (Mr. Wm. Gordon).

Collie, James, masson, and Margrat Grant: daughter Catran (Mr. Wm. Gordon).

McCay, Daved, penchanr, and Christan Gordon, his spous: daughter Christan (Mr. Wm. Gordon).

May 16. **Strath,** John, gardner, and Catren Mckinzie, his spous: son Alexr. (Mr. McLeod).

18. **Baln,** Donald, confectner, and Margrat Farqher, his spous: daughter Catren (Mr. Wm. Gordon).

June 7. **Davedson,** John, from Jamaica, and Elisabeth Wallas, his spous: daughter Elisabeth (Mr. McLeod).

22. **Leaing,** Allexr., writer, and Elisabeth Janer: son Robert (Mr. Wm. Gordon).

29. **Ratch,** Patrick, laberor, and Ann McLeod, his spous: daughter Christian (Mr. Wm. Gordon).

Leslie, William, druggist, and Hellan Brous, his spous: daughter Sarah (Mr. McLeod).

July 6. **Millan,** George, gardner, and Margrat Mean, his spous: son John (Mr. Wm. Gordon).

13. **Duncan,** James, baker, and Falconer Howie, his spouse: son James, born the 9th (Mr. Wm. Gordon). Witnesses: Willm. Rate and John King.

16. **Linton,** George, farmer, and Sarah Gordon, his spouse: son Andrew, born the 15th (Mr. Wm. Gordon). Witnesses: Benjamin Kitchen and Geo. Stronach.

17. **Martin,** Lieut. Robert, and Elizabeth Grant, his spouse: son Robert, born the 14th (Mr. Wm. Gordon).

13. **Allan,** John, sailor, and Catharine Shanesie: daughter Margaret, baptized in Chapel (Mr. Wm. Gordon).

18. **Millard,** Willm., soldier 35th regt., and Margaret Millard, his spous: son William (Mr. Wm. Gordon).

23. **Henry,** Alexr., sailor, and Helen Roach, his spouse: son James, baptized in Chapel (Mr. McLeod).

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Aug. 10. **Fyfe,** Alexr., mill wright, and Elizabeth Murray, his spouse: son Alexr. (Mr. McLeod).

Rondal, David, wright, and Elspit Winchester, his spouse: son John (Mr. Wm. Gordon).

14. **Lumsden,** Harry, advocate, and Catharine McVeagh, his spouse: daughter Margaret Lotitia (Mr. McLeod).

16. **Wilson,** Willm., music-master, and Margaret Douglas, his spouse: son Sylvester, born the 2nd (Mr. McLeod).

17. **Garden,** Captn. Robert, and Jean Addison: son Robert, baptized in Chapel (Mr. Wm. Gordon).

21. **Hutcheon,** Alexr., shoemaker, and Jean Still, his spouse: daughter Mary (Mr. McLeod).

28. **Keith,** James, soldier in the train of Artillery, and Jean Forbes: son George (Mr. Wm. Gordon).

Sept. 1. **Ross,** Alexr., writer, and Catharine Morison, his spouse: son George, born Aug. 28th (Mr. Wm. Gordon).

3. **McPherson,** Alexr., flax-dresser, and Elizth. Yule, his spouse: son Alexr. Douglas, born Aug. 31st, and baptized in Chapel (Mr. Wm. Gordon).

14. **Milne,** Alexr., junr., of Crimonmagate, and Isobel Reid: son Alexr., baptized in Chapel (Mr. Wm. Gordon).

Oct. 6. **Fraser,** Alexr., shoemaker in the parish of Rathven, and Margt. Scott: daughter Mary, baptized in Chapel (Mr. McLeod.)

19. **Bannerman,** Thomas, mercht., and Jean Simpson, his spouse: son Alexr., born the 7th (Mr. McLeod).

Nov. 2. **Murray,** James, baker, and Agnes Harrow, his spouse: son John (Mr. Wm. Gordon).

7. **Garioch,** Alexr., mercht., and Elizabeth Mair, his spouse: daughter Elizabeth Anne (Mr. McLeod).

9. **Thompson,** Alexr., taylor, and Jean Morrice, his spouse: son David (Mr. McLeod). Witnesses: Robt. Smith, mercht.; Robert Aiken, sailor.

13. **Ross,** John, organist, and Jean Tait, his spous: son Thomas.

14. **Bruce,** George, labourer, and Margt. Wilkie, his spouse: son Charles (Mr. Wm. Gordon).

23. **Edwards,** James, woolcomber, and Anne Stott, his spouse; son Maxwell (Mr. Wm. Gordon).

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Nov. 30. **Philips,** Willm., soldier, Royal Fusiliers, and Mary Gillespie, his spouse: son William, baptized in Chapel (Mr. Wm. Gordon).

Dec. 1. **MacLeod,** Roderick, minr., of St. Paul's Chapel, and Helen Middleton, his spouse: daughter Wilhelmina, born Nov. 28th. Witns.: Prof. McLeod; Mr. John Annand, mercht.

21. **Gray,** George, wright, and Marjory Meston, his spouse: son Edward, born the 15th (Mr. McLeod). Witnesses: James Pittendreich, wright; John Boyle, farmer.

27. **Perkins,** John, soldier, and Ann Leper, his spouse: daughter Christian, baptized in Chapel (Mr. McLeod).

31. **Bannerman,** Charles, advocate, and Margt. Wilson, his spouse: daughter Margaret, born the 8th. Witnesses: Mr. Thomas Bannerman and Miss Garioch.

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Jan. 2. **Grant,** Simon, sheriff-officer, and Elizabeth Naughty: son Simon.

6. **Allan,** Captn. Robert, and Christian Dyce, his spouse: son James, born the 2nd. Witnesses: Mr. Robert Dyce and Mr. Robt. Walker, merchts.

9. **Abernethy,** Alexr., mercht., and Anne Cheyne: son Robert, baptised in Chapel.

14. **Much,** John, soldier, 35th regt. and Margaret Shaw: son John.

18. **Thom,** David, servt. to Mr. Allardyce, and Margt. Davidson: son David.[1]

[1] Last Baptism by Rev. Dr. John Gordon. He resigned in January, 1789.

[Baptized by Rev. Roderick Macleod.][1]

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Feb. 1. **Adams,** John, vintner, and Sarah Boswel, his spouse: son Henry, born Janry. 21st. Witnesses: Messrs. Willm. Dewar and Joseph Simpson, merchts.

11. **Annand,** John, mercht., and Helen Smith, his spouse: son Adam, born the 1st. Witnesses: Messrs. Alexr. Annand, mercht., and Harry Lumsden, advocate.

15. **Robertson,** Joseph, labourer, and Elizabeth Masson: daughter Jannet, baptized in Chapel.

16. **Leech,** Robert, soldier 35th regt., and Elizth. Leech, his spouse: daughter Elizabeth.

20. **Kiloh,** John, mercht., and Elizth. Sommers, his spouse: son Alexander, born the 17th. Witnesses: Andw. Shepheird, farmer; Alexr. Kiloh, wright.

23. **MacMillan,** Alexr., currier, and Elizth. Morison, his spouse: son John, born the 22nd. Witnesses: Willm. McMillan, currier; John King.

27. **Carr,** George, flaxdresser, and Agnes Beg, his spouse: daughter Margaret, baptized in Chapel.

Mar. 1. **Meldrum,** John, labourer, and Anne Cuming, his spouse: daughter Mary Elizabeth, baptized in Chapel.

2. **Boswell,** Alexr., sailor, and Jean Norie, his spouse: daughter Janet. Witnesses: Willm. Crawford, barber; Robt. Norie, gardiner.

11. **Brebner,** Alexr., mercht., and Christian Leys, his spouse: daughter Frances, born Feb. 26th. Witnesses: Mrs. Buchan of Auchmacoy; Mr. Thos. Leys, mercht.

20. **Gibbon,** Robert, mercht., and Barbara Yates, his spouse: daughter Barbara, born the 11th. Witnesses: Mr. Arthur Gibbon and Mr. Alexr. Martin, merchts.

22. **Henderson,** Thomas, soldier 35th regt., and Catharine Stevenson: son Forbes, born the 26th Feb., and baptized in Chapel.

24. **Murray,** Mr. James, mercht., and Jean Young, his spouse: son William, born the 11th. Witnesses: Alexr. Martin and Alexr. Cushnie, merchts.

27. **Campbell,** Malcolm, labourer, and Christian Keith, his spouse: daughter Christian, baptized in Chapel.

[1] Mr. McLeod became first minister in January 1789.

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Mar. 29. **Maver,** David, blacksmith, and Margaret Brown, his spouse: daughter Mary, born the 21st, and baptized in Chapel.

April 14. **Gordon,** Charles, Esqre. of Wardhouse, and Catherine Mercer, his spouse: son Robert, born the 3rd. Witnesses: Lord Haddo and Major Mercer.

17. **Mitchel,** Alexr., labourer, and Helen Paul, son John, baptized in Chapel.

19. **Bean,** George, shoemaker, and Anne Jameson: son George, baptized in Chapel.

Anderson, Alexr., mercht., and Euphemia Burr, his spouse: son Alexander, born the 15th. Witnesses: Thos. Wildgoose, clerk; Mrs. Frazer, midwife.

Forbes, James, staymaker, and Mary Christie, his spouse: son William, born Feb. 19th. Witnesses: George Forbes, taylor; Peter Milne, hosier.

10. **Shireffs,** William, labourer, and Isobel McKenzie: two sons William and John, baptized in Chapel.

16. **Spalden,** Andrew, accountant, and Mary Thompson, his spouse: son Peter, born the 12th. Witnesses: Peter Thomson, farmer; Robt. Milne, gardiner.

May 31. **Wilson,** George, sailor, and Margt. Reid, his spous: daughter Margaret, born the 30th. Witns.: Willm. Wilson and Willm. Strachan.

June 5. **Benzie,** John, labourer, and Margaret Logan, his spouse: son Charles, born May 23rd. Witnesses: Charles Copland and Hugh Cochran, merchts.

17. **Taylor,** John, labourer, and Janet Gunn, his spouse: daughter Janet, baptized in Chapel.

24. **Lade,** Thomas, blacksmith, and Jane Grant: son Thomas, baptized in Chapel.

25. **Lumsden,** Mr. Harry, advocate, and Catharine McVeagh, his spouse: son Thomas, born the 12th. Witnesses: John Lumsden, Esqre. of Cushnie; Mr. John Annand, mercht.

July 3. **Calcoat,** Thomas, soldier, 35th regt., and Christian Cellar: son James, baptized in Chapel.

June 30. **Harrow,** Willm., butcher, and Elspit Harrow, his spouse: son John, born the 27th.

July 8. **Mitchel,** Alexr., mercht., and Anne Grey: son Augustus Frederick, baptized in Chapel.

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July 15. **Blake,** The Revd. Willm., and Helen Simpson, his spouse: daughter Helen, born the 11th. Witnesses: Mr. Willm. Simpson, mercht.; Dr. Alexr. Gordon.

Aug. 9. **Ruddiman,** John, wright, and Esther Freeman, his spouse: daughter Isobel. Witnesses: David and John Henry, woolcombers.

Sept. 5. **Simpson,** Mr. Joseph, mercht., and Fanny Burnett, his spouse: daughter Anne, born Augst 30th. Witnesses: Messrs. Willm. Simpson and Jas. Davidson, merchts.

9. **Gibb,** Adam, sailor, and Margaret Smollet, his spouse: son Robert, born the 6th. Witnesses: Robt. Moir, mercht.; Jas. Anderson, candlemaker.

11. **Ross,** James, laxfisher, and Anne Brown, his spouse: daughter Anne, born the 8th. Witnesses: Alexr. Brown and Jas. Matheson, labourers.

13. **Smith,** David, Chelsea pensioner, and Anne Mitchel, his spouse: son William, born the 6th.

20. **Rainie,** George, confectioner, and Margt. Harvie, his spouse: daughter Margaret, born the 13th. Witnesses: James Harvie, mercht.; John Harvie, sailor.

21. **McCook,** James, advocate, and Jean Rhind, his spouse: daughter Margaret, born the 14th. Witnesses: James Rhind, mason; Malcolm McCook, shoe-maker.

Oct. 4. **Thom,** James, and Susanna Annand, his spouse: daughter Elizabeth, born Sept. 28th, and baptized in Chapel.

Aiken, Peter, labourer, and Elizabeth Morison, his spouse: son William, born Sept. 27th, and baptized in Chapel.

8. **Cruickshank,** Arthur, brewer, and Anne Welch: son George, born the 2nd, and baptized in Chapel.

9. **Brown,** James, labourer, and Helen Rose: son Alexander, born Sept. 26th, and baptized in Chapel.

11. **Moir,** David, labourer, and Marjory Stamp, his spous: daughter Mary, baptized in Chapel.

16. **Ferguson,** John, cooper, and Christian Brebner: daughter Anne, born the 11th, and baptized in Chapel.

28. **MacDermot,** John, and Sophia Brands, his spouse: son James, born at Glasgow, Feb. 13th, and baptized in Chapel.

Nov. 13. **Forbes,** David, shoemaker, and Helen Morison: son John, born Aug. 16th, and baptized in Chapel.

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Nov. 17. **Duncan,** Willm., shoemaker, and Mary Strachan, his spouse: son James, baptized in Chapel.

27. **McKenzie,** John, labourer, and Nancy Carr, his spouse: son Alexander, born the 25th, and baptized in Chapel.

Dec. 3. **Gibbon,** Willm., mariner, and Maria Graham, his spouse: son Charles, born Nov. 20th. Witnesses: Charles Gibbon and Jas. Gibbon, mariners.

11. **Cruickshank,** Charles, labourer, and Elizabeth Allan, his spouse: daughter Elspit, baptized in Chapel.

30. **Douglas,** John, cooper, and Jean Martin, his spouse: daughter Janet, born the 27th. Witnesses: Jas. Strachan, taylor; Alexr. Falconer, cooper.

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Jan. 5. **Christie,** Willm., farmer, and Elspit Linton, his spouse: son James, born the 3rd. Witnesses: Jas. Christie and George Linton.

9. **Adam,** George, shoemaker, and Anne Davidson, his spouse: daughter Anne, born the 6th. Witnesses: Jas. Davidson, mercht.; Alexr. Adam, shoemaker.

12. **Gordon,** Charles, advocate, and Mary Harvey, his spouse: daughter Isabella, born Dec. 30th. Witnesses: Dr. Alexr. Gordon; Joseph Simpson, merchant.

25. **Dun,** Willm., shoemaker, and Margt. Taylor, his spouse: daughter Isobel, born the 25th.

27. **Laing,** Willm., serjeant, 34th regt., and Margt. Morgan, his spouse: daughter Janet, born the 24th.

Feb. 15. **Wilson,** Willm., teacher of musick, and Margt. Douglas, his spouse: son William, born the 11th.

25. **Clarke,** James, soldier, 55th regt., and Margt. McGregor, his spouse: son Alexr., baptized in Chapel.

Mar. 14. **Garioch,** Alexr., mercht., and Elizth. Mair, his spouse: daughter Christian, born the 5th.

18. **Lean,** John, corporal, 55th regt., and Sarah Holland: daughter Margaret, born the 12th.

21. **Leslie,** Willm., druggist, and Helen Bruce, his spouse: son Patrick, born the 19th.

May 9. **Bain,** Donald, confectioner, and Margt. Farquhar, his spouse: son James, born the 9th.

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May 16. **Allan,** James, shoemaker, and Isobel Kemp, his spouse: daughter Isobel, born the 13th.

26. **Laing,** David, tin-smith, and Elspit Milne: daughter Margaret, born the 24th, and baptized in Chapel.

June 13. **McMillan,** Alexr., currier, and Elizth. Morison, his spouse: son James, born May 31st.

20. **Brebner,** Alexr., mercht., and Christian Leys, his spouse: daughter Christian, born the 15th.

Murray, James, mercht., and Jean Young, his spouse: daughter Jean, born the 20th.

24. **Gibbon,** Robt., mercht., and Barbara Yates, his spouse: son John Alison, born the 21st.

July 14. **Chillas,** Robert, mercht., and Christian Strachan, his spouse: son George, born June 23rd, and baptized in Chapel (Mr. John Robertson).

25. **MacLeod,** Rodk., minr. of St. P. Chapel, and Helen Middleton, his spouse: daughter Sibella, born June 27th (Mr. Robertson). Witnesses: Mr. John Annand, mercht.; John King.

Aug. 1. **Black,** James, barber, and Jessica Dunlop, his spouse: daughter Margt. Hamilton, born July 15th, and baptized in Chapel.

8. **Smith,** James, druggist, and Janet Bannerman: son William, born the 7th, and baptized in Chapel.

11. **Leith,** John, barber, and Fraser Park, his spouse: daughter Isabella, born June 27th.

12. **Black,** Thomas, apothecary, and Margt. Innes, his spouse: son Thomas, born the 5th.

16. **Leslie,** John, sailor, and Jean Matthew, his spouse: daughter Marjory, born the 14th.

20. **Spalden,** Andrew, accountant, and Mary Thomson, his spouse: daughter Mary, born the 18th (Mr. John Rennie).

Sept. 1. **Reid,** Willm., shoemaker, and Mary Matthew: son George, born Aug. 23rd, and baptized in Chapel.

12. **Graham,** John, soldier, and Elizabeth Ritchen, his spouse: son John Ritchen, born the 10th.

15. **Campbell,** Capt. Colin, 44 regt., and Mary Johnson, his spouse: son William Johnson, born Aug. 1st.

20. **Brown,** Patrick, soldier, and Charlotte Lambie, his spouse: son Richard, born the 12th.

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Oct. 3. **Mackay,** John, labourer, and Helen Sangster, his spouse: son John, born the 1st.

6. **Murray,** William, and Margaret Gould: son William, born Sept. 30th, and baptized in Chapel.

8. **Annand,** Mr. John, mercht., and Helen Smith, his spouse: daughter Elizabeth, born the 3rd.

14. **Martin,** Willm., butcher, and Helen Milne, his spouse: son James, born the 9th.

27. **Hay,** Hugh, cooper, and Ann Ewen, his spouse: two sons, Alexr. and Charles, born the 26th.

Nov. 7. **Shirrefs,** James, labourer, and Janet Stephen, his spouse: son John, born the 2nd.

Dec. 8. **Adam,** George, ropemaker, and Margt. Henderson, his spouse: daughter Isobel, born the 6th.

14. **Booth,** Robert, shipmaster, and Isobel Smith, his spouse: son Robert, born the 12th.

10. **Carr,** Jean, lunatick vagrant: son Alexr., baptized in Chapel. Sponsors:

19. **Kiloh,** John, mercht., and Elizabeth Summers, his spouse: son Delegal, born the 15th.

20. **Lyle,** Alexr., mariner, and Margaret Robertson, his spouse: son James, born Nov. 21st.

26. **Philips,** Willm., soldier, and Mary Gillespie, his spouse: son Adam, born the 17th.

31. **Benzie,** John, labourer, and Margt. Logan, his spouse: son John, born the 16th.

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Jan. 8. **Bannerman,** Charles, advocate, and Margt. Wilson, his spouse: daughter Anne, born Dec. 3rd, 1790.

9. **Melvin,** George, gardiner, and Margt. Main, his spouse: son Robert, born Dec. 23rd (Mr. James Deans).[1]

11. **Hutcheon,** Alexr., shoemaker, and Jean Still, his spouse: son Alexr., born the 3rd.

12. **Major,** Alexr., drummer, and Lockhart Rae, his spouse: daughter Margaret, born the 11th.

16. **Bannerman,** Thomas, mercht., and Jean Simpson, his spouse: son Charles Donaldson, born the 1st.

[1] Mr. James Deans was appointed second minister on 20th December, 1790. He became first minister in July, 1793, and resigned on 22nd September, 1808.

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Feb. 13. **Walton,** Isaac, soldier, and Lydia Crawshaw, his spouse: daughter Anne, born the 10th.

20. **Harvey,** James, mercht., and Isobel Robson, his spouse: son Patrick, born the 14th.

King, John, watchmaker, and Jean King, his spouse: son Alexander, born the 12th.

27. **Holmes,** Thomas, serjeant, 44th regt., and Susannah Scot, his spouse: daughter Eleanor Anne, born the 6th (Mr. Deans).

Mar. 8. **Murray,** James, baker, and Agnes Harrow, his spouse: daughter Isobel, born the 4th.

20. **Field,** John, mercht., and Lilly Anderson, his spouse: daughter Euphane, born the 16th.

April 26. **Harrow,** William, butcher, and Elspit Harrow, his spouse: daughter Margaret, born the 15th.

28. **MacCook,** James, advocate, and Jean Rhind, his spouse: son John, born the 21st (Mr. Deans).

May 3. **MacPherson,** Alexr. flaxdresser, and Elizth. Yule, his spouse: daughter Christian, born April 30th.

8. **Simpson,** Joseph, mercht., and Fanny Burnett, his spouse: son John, born April 28th (Mr. Deans).

17. **Bruce,** John, : daughter Margaret.

June 9. **Ross,** John, organist, and Jean Tait, his spouse: daughter Anne, born May 30th (Mr. Deans).

12. **Thom,** James, flesher, and Susan Annand, his spouse: daughter Susan, born the 10th (Mr. Deans).

30. **McDermot,** John, soldier, and Sophia Brands, his spouse: daughter Elizabeth, born the 29th.

July 3. **Henderson,** John, Esquire, and Helen Leslie, his spouse: son Charles, born June 18th.

13. **Edwards,** James, woolcomber, and Anne Stot, his spouse: daughter Anne, born the 11th (Mr. Deans).

Aug. 6. **Ross,** James, salmon fisher, and Anne Brown, his spouse: daughter Mary, born the 4th (Mr. Deans).

11. **Brebner,** Alexr., mercht., and Christian Leys, his spouse: son William, born July 17th.

17. **Murray,** James, mercht., and Jean Young, his spouse: daughter Margaret, born the 12th.

1791.

Sept. 4. **Duncan,** Willm., shoemaker, and Margaret Strachan, his spouse: son James, born Aug. 28th (Mr. Deans).

5. **Stuart,** Angus, drummer, and Helen Melvin, his spouse: daughter Isabel, born the 1st.

11. **Mavor,** David, blacksmith, and Margt. Brown, his spouse: daughter Margaret, born the 7th.

14. **Crombie,** George, brewer, and Margaret Finlay, his spouse: son John, born the 10th (Mr. Deans).

Oct. 3. **Welsh,** Robert, mariner, and Jean Cochran, his spouse: son Hugh, born the 1st.

14. **Lumsden,** Harry, advocate, and Catharine McVeagh, his spouse: son Clements, born the 2nd (Mr. Deans).

24. **Shell,** Joseph, soldier, and Jean Ferguson, his spouse: daughter Maria, born the 24th (Mr. Deans).

28. **Udny,** John, taylor, and Anne Geddes, his spouse: daughter Jean, born the 25th (Mr. Deans).

30. **Forbes,** James, staymaker, and Mary Christie, his spouse: daughter Christian, born Sept. 30th (Mr. Deans).

7. **Faulkener,** John, couper, and Catherine Stratton, his spouse: son James, born the 6th.

Dec. 20. **MacLeod,** Rodk., minr. of St. Paul's Chapel, and Helen Middleton, his spouse: son George, born the 13th (Revd. Alexr. Cruden).

1792.

Jan. 1. **Dun,** Willm., shoemaker, and Margaret Taylor, his spouse: daughter Elizabeth, born Decr. 30th.

8. **Donaldson,** John, corporal 44th regt., and Elizabeth Henderson, his spouse: son Andrew, born the 5th.

15. **Ruddiman,** John, wright, and Esther Freeman, his spouse: daughter Hannah, born the 10th.

17. **MacLeod,** Roderick, soldier, 42nd Regt., and Janet Campbell, his spouse: son John, born the 15th.

18. **Malcolm,** Alexr., barber, and Isabel Smith, his spouse: son Alexr., born the 16th (Mr. Jas. Deans).

Feb. 12. **Leslie,** William, druggest, and Ellan Bruce, his spouse: son Robert, born Jan. 29th.

19. **Leith,** John, junior, barber, and Fraser Park, his spouse: son Alexr., born the 4th.

1792.

Feb. 25. **Bannerman,** Charles, advocate, and Margret Wilson, his spouse: daughter Mary, born Jan. 24th.

Mar. 7. **Adam,** George, shoe maker, and Ann Davidson, his spouse: daughter Elisabeth, born the 1st.

15. **Black,** Thomas, druggest, and Margret Innes, his spouse: daughter Mary, born the 4th.

17. **Douglas,** John, cooper, and Jean Martin, his spouse: daughter Mary, born the 15th.

April 4. **Still,** Peter, mercht., and Cathren Stewart, his spouse: son Alexr., born March 28th (Mr. Deans).

May 2. **Clark,** Alexr., mercht., and Mary Watson, his spouse: daughter Elisabeth, born April 25th (Mr. Deans).

6. **Laing,** Alexr., flax dresser, and Jean Brown, his spouse: daughter Jean, born April 29th (Mr. Deans).

26. **Benzie,** John, laberour, and Margaret Logan, his spouse: son George, born the 12th (Mr. Deans).

June 3. **Mcmellan,** Alexr., courier, and Elisabeth Morison, his spouse: daughter Elisabeth, born May 17th (Mr. Deans).

Gibb, Adam, sailor, and Jannet Robson, his spouse: daughter Margret, born May 31st (Mr. Deans).

5. **Salman,** William, scrubler, and Margret Brack, his spouse: son Alexr., born the 4th (Mr. Deans).

7. **Allan,** James, shoe maker, and Isabell Campe, his spouse: daughter Margret, born the 5th (Mr. Deans).

10. **Harvie,** James, and Isabell Robson, his spouse: son Alexr., born the 3rd (Mr. Deans).

11. **Gordon,** John, Esqr., Craigmile, and Mary Leslie, his spouse: son Charles Irvine, born May 19th (Mr. Deans).

Skine, William, flax dresser, and Ann Kerrahad, his spouse: daughter Elisabeth, born the 10th (Mr. Deans).

24. **Bannerman,** Mr. Thomas, mercht., and Jean Simpson, his spouse: son Peter, born the 8th.

July 15. **Bain,** Donald, confectioner, and Margret Farquhar, his spouse: son David, born the 6th.

22. **Kiloch,** John, mercht., and Isabell Shirriffs, his spouse: daughter Christian, born the 17th (Mr. Deans).

Aug. 30. **Brebner,** Alexr., mercht., and Christan Leys, his spouse: daughter Maria, born the 8th.

1792.

Sept. 29. **Urquhart,** Captain William, and Isabella Helean Rose, his spouse: son James, born the 3rd.

Oct. 9. **Marchall,** John, sailor, and Jean Baxter, his spouse: son Robert, born the 7th (Mr. Deans).

28. **Simpson,** Peter, mercht., and Jannet Kynoch, his spouse: son Patrick, born Oct. 20th (Mr. Deans).

Nov. 4. **Henderson,** John, Esqr., and Ellan Leslie, his spouse: son William Irvine, born Oct. 10th (Mr. Deans).

12. **Matthew,** William, and Ann Grig, his spouse: son Alexr., born the 11th (Mr. Deans).

13. **Harrow,** William, flesher, and Elspit Harrow, his spouse: son William, born the 7th (Mr. Deans).

1793.

Jan. 4. **Hay,** Leutenant Colnel, and Lady Mary Forbes: daughter Sarah, born Dec. 24th.

12. **Layle,** Captain Alexr., and Margret Robertson, his spouse: daughter Grace, born Dec. 28th.

27. **Simpson,** Joseph, mercht., and Frances Burnett, his spouse: son Adam, born the 17th (Mr. Deans).

Benzie, Samuel, and Jannet Birnie, his spouse: son Alexr., born the 25th.

Feb. 3. **King,** John, clock and watch maker, and Jean King, his spouse: daughter Elisabeth, born Jan. 29th.

5. **Thom,** James, flesher, and Therosan Annand, his spouse: son Alexr., born the 3rd.

9. **Murrow,** James, mercht., from Holland, and Jean Young, his spouse: son and daughter, James and Ameleia, born Jan. 22nd.

15. **Burnett,** Alexr., Esqr., faskey, and Elisabeth Bannerman, his lady: son Edward Bannerman, born Jan. 31st.

24. **Lawrence,** George, weaver, and Jean Orchard, his spouse: son Charles, born the 16th.

Aiken, Peter, laberour, and Elisabeth Morrison, his spouse: [son] Alexr., born the 18th, and baptized in Chapel.

Mar. 6. **Finlason,** Capt. William, and Elisabeth Aird, his spouse: daughter Jean Gordon, born Feb. 4th.

14. **Bannerman,** Charles, advocate, and Margret Wilson, his spouse: daughter Georgeina, born Feb. 19th.

1793.

April 1. **Ross,** Mr. John, organest, and Jean Teat, his spouse: daughter Mary, born March 22nd (Mr. Deans).

3. **Adam,** Alexr., shoemaker, and Christan Mcfersan, his spouse: daughter Jean, born the 1st.

11. **Booth,** Robert, shipemaster, and Isabel Smith, his spouse: son William, born the 10th.

Note by the Editor.

This baptism of Robert Booth's child was the last by the Revd. Roderick McLeod. He received the degree of D.D. from the University and King's College on 8 January, and resigned the office of first minister shortly thereafter.

The Printing of the Register of Baptisms has thus been brought down to the end of Dr. McLeod's incumbency.

During the last twenty years—from 1773 to 1793—there are included in the Register the Baptisms of children of many outstanding citizens. Among these may be mentioned those of three of the well known families of Bannerman, that is to say of Dr. Alexander Bannerman, Thomas Bannerman, Merchant, and Charles Bannerman, Advocate; of Irvine of Drum; of Gordon Cumming of Pitlurg; of Turner of Mennie; of Hary Lumsden, Advocate, the father of Hugh Lumsden, afterwards of Pitcaple, Henry Lumsden afterwards of Clova, and Thomas afterwards Colonel Thomas Lumsden, C.B., of Belhelvie Lodge, all of whom have descendants still among us; and of Alexander Bremner of Learney, Provost of Aberdeen, whose second daughter, Jane, was the mother of Colonel Innes of Learney, C.V.O. Mrs. Innes was the niece by her mother's side of Thomas Leys, of Glasgow Forest, Convener of the County, and twice Provost of Aberdeen.

The entries that appear in the years that follow contain names of equal Genealogical interest including continuation of most of the families just mentioned.

The Editor can only express the hope that, should the Club resolve to issue another volume of Miscellany, they may, in it, agree to resume the printing of St. Paul's Register.

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BURGESS REGISTER

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INTRODUCTION

TO

REGISTER OF BURGESSES

In the first volume of the Miscellany of the Club, a transcript from the volumes of the Council Register was given of the burgesses admitted between 1399 and 1631. The continuation now printed, from 1631 to 1700, is taken from the separate Register which was commenced in the former year. With the exception of a leaf or two at the beginning of the first volume, the Register is complete to date, and consists of fifteen volumes, covering the following periods:—

I.	6 October, 1632—24 January, 1694.	Guild, trade, and honorary burgesses.
II.	4 April, 1694—15 December, 1760.	Do.
III.	21 April, 1761—20 October, 1796.	Do.
IV.	19 September, 1783, to date.	Honorary burgesses.
V.	22 November, 1796—22 September, 1812.	Guild burgesses.
VI.	11 February, 1813—21 September, 1830.	Do.
VII.	17 February, 1831—15 April, 1839.	Do.
VIII.	10 June, 1839—4 November, 1861.	Do.
IX.	11 November, 1861—23 October, 1903.	Do.
X.	23 October, 1903, to date.	Do.
XI.	27 September, 1797—5 October, 1823.	Trade burgesses.
XII.	17 October, 1825—31 October, 1836.	Do.
XIII.	3 November, 1837—3 October, 1864.	Do.
XIV.	31 January, 1865—3 January, 1893.	Do.
XV.	6 March, 1893, to date.	Do.

In the introduction to the earlier portion of the Register, the position and relationship of the respective classes of burgesses was fully gone into, and the explanation then given holds good of the part of the Register now printed.

The entries relating to the individual burgesses are much fuller in the Register than in the Council Register, and are thus more interesting

and useful. The entries, with few exceptions, are written in Latin, and after 1654 the acts of admission are generally signed by the entering burgesses along with their cautioners. The honorary burgesses unfortunately, did not sign the Register till 1866, the first to do so being His Majesty the King, then Prince of Wales.

The Register from 1631 onwards will be found to contain a very large number of honorary burgesses, and the entries relating to them give an interesting glimpse into the past, showing the class who then travelled and the often curious combinations who found themselves fellow travellers and visitors. The county lairds with their numerous retinue of servants, the visiting judges with attendants and officials, the officers of the various regiments quartered within the town, and the stranger from the Continent, all pass before us in the pages of the Register. In the absence of other sources of information, these entries give a fairly accurate idea of the distinguished persons who paid the city a visit and shared the honour which seems never to have been grudgingly bestowed.

The number of these honorary burgesses is so large that it would take too much space to refer to them in any detail, but the following references may be taken as examples. In 1633 one French and two Zealand students attending the University were received, and in July, 1637, the members of the Convention of Burghs who met in Aberdeen, to the number of fourteen persons, were admitted to the freedom. A similar courtesy was extended to members of the Convention in July, 1665, and again in July, 1698, when no fewer than seventy-two names were added on a single occasion. A meeting of the General Assembly was held in the burgh during May, 1647, and seventeen commissioners were received as honorary burgesses.

Whether it was in connection with business at this meeting, or as he states to see for himself the feeling in the North for Charles I., we find the admission, two days prior to that of the commissioners, of a distinguished foreigner in the person of Jean de Montereul, the French Ambassador to Scotland. In a letter to Cardinal Mazarin, dated from Edinburgh on 11th May, 1647, Montereul writes,[1] "And as I can but [not] just believe the accounts that reach me from the North regarding the

[1] Montereul's Correspondence II., p. 141.

levies, I have decided to send, or to go myself to Aberdeen in order to see what is being done and to help in it as far as I can." He evidently took the latter course, and thus his name appears in the Register.

The Marquis of Montrose, who figures so largely during this stormy period, had already been admitted a burgess (4th November, 1629), and the first foreshadowing of the coming troubles is when in the early part of 1639 certain of the captains and officers of men-of-war lying in the road-stead were admitted. In the following year the names of General Robert Monro and his officers were added to the Register, and from an entry on 23rd September, 1640, we gather that during his residence in the burgh he lodged at the house of Baillie Robert Farquhar, who kept a free house for the General, much to the advantage it appears of the public purse.

The action of the partisans of Huntly in March, 1644, in kidnapping Provost Leslie and others, brought the Covenanting army of six thousand horse and foot, under the command of Argyle, to the burgh in May, and on the 28th of that month he along with Lord Burleigh, Lord Elcho, and other gentlemen were received into the freedom of the town. On 28th June, 1650, a distinguished party were received as burgesses in the persons of the Duke of Buckingham, the Earl of Cassillis, the Earl of Lothian, the Earl of Cleveland, and others who were in the burgh attending Charles II. on his way south after the landing at Speymouth. Charles is said to have remained several days in Aberdeen, and from an entry on 2nd July, 1650, we learn that during his stay he was lodged in the house of Baillie George Morison.[1] Tradition has asserted that the house in which Charles lodged was the old Bursars' house in Castle Street, demolished when the Exchequer Row area was cleared, but this seems doubtful in view of the statement in the Register. At the date of the king's visit Dr. William Guild, who acquired the Bursars' house in 1636, was probably staying in the property, as in 1655 when he conveyed it to the Incorporated Trades he described the property as "his fore house in Castellgate, wherein I dwell." Charles is said to have visited the burgh

[1] Morison, who was afterwards provost, died in 1658, and his property went to his nephew, George Morison. From a description of the burgh properties conveyed in March, 1659, it is evident the family house was an inland tenement on the north side of Castle Street, "with yard, well and pertinents and galrie of the samen together with the forgat passage and entrie callit the through gang" [Sasine Register].

a second time in February of the following year, but no confirmation of this visit is to be got from the Register.

In September, 1651, the Protector's troops entered Aberdeen "with an order and discipline, and a face of gravity and piety among them that amazed the people," and Colonel Fenwick, Judges Smith, Even, Mosley, and others received the courtesy of being enrolled as burgesses. From this date onwards several entries occur of those in command of troops quartered in Aberdeen being admitted, until the 12th May, 1660, when the new order of things is intimated by the admission of Captain George Melville "for the special favour and respect that the Magistrates did bear to the sd. Capitane George for his good service this day in exerciseing ordering and training vp the inhabitants of the burghe being vnder armes at ther solemnitie and rejoceing for our Soverane Lord the Kings majestie his happie and safe returne to the injoyment of his dominions."

The unhappy period of twenty-one years which preceded this "happie returne" brought many hardships upon the country, and the burgesses of Aberdeen had a full share of them, as is testified by many entries in the Register, especially those relating to the 13th September, 1644, Aberdeen's black Friday, when after the battle of the Justice Mills the town was given up by Montrose to the far from tender mercies of his Irish levies. On the admission of Alexander Nowell, weaver, on 12th November, 1645, it is narrated that at the hands of "the Irishes" he had lost his father and uncle, while his wife lost her former husband. Another weaver, in July, 1646, received consideration in respect of his marriage with the daughter of a burgess slaughtered near the burgh by the Irishes, and for the further reason that his own houses and household goods had been totally burned when the burgh was attacked by the Gordons and their abettors in May, 1646. A third weaver, Alexander Milve, on 26th May, 1647, was admitted to the freedom of his trade because he had married the widow of a craftsman killed on that memorable day; and as late as August, 1652, the clerk, in writing the act of admission of William Gray, merchant, who had married the daughter of Alexander Middleton, recalls the fact that the latter "wes mercielesly killit be the Irishes in the touns service in anno 1644."

Disastrous as was the experience of the burgesses during the period of civil strife, commonly known as "the Troubles," a greater calamity fell on them in 1647, when the plague in the summer and autumn of that year claimed some sixteen hundred victims and so depopulated the town that business was nearly brought to a standstill. The first entry relating to this subject is a note in the Register stating that from June to the 8th December no burgesses were admitted "in respect of the plague of pestilence that wes within this burghe." Among one of the first entries in December, 1647, was that of John Moir in Clinterty to the hammerman trade, "in respect of the feu number of craftismen within this burghe especiallie of the lorimers, and that sindrie of the said trade ar dead of the plague of pestilence." Many of the subsequent entries are in the same strain, narrating that there are "feu number of craftismen of this trad," or "in respect of the paucitie of that trad within this burt." Another class of admissions is that made for good and faithful service during the time of the pestilence, or for service in "tyme of the lait visitation," while one entry was given "in full contentatioun of service in the societie house the tyme of the infection."

Other services specially recognised by admission to the freedom of the burgh were the "willing vndertaking his majesties present service at sea," "good service to this brut in tyme of the late warrs against the hollanders," and service in the town's militia. On other occasions the favour was conferred so that a new trade might be introduced into the burgh, as when on 27th April, 1642, Ochtrie Fairindaill, glover and perfumer, was received "be resone thair is none uther of that calling within the toun," and sometimes outside craftsmen were received on account of the unsatisfactory workmanship of the existing craftsmen, as when in 1674 Alexander Bruce, baker in Edinburgh, was allowed to supply the inhabitants with bread because the bakers of the town were deficient in baking good bread.[1]

Sometimes the act of admission specially limits the burgess in the scope of his trading, as was the case with William Slow in 1657, whose freedom was confined to "brew and vent aill, bear and strong water, baiking of bread for the use of the regiment and sojors and bringing

[1] Council Register, LV., 567.

home of chees and buter from forran parts." Similarly on 1st December, 1686, Patrick Kilgour, watchmaker in Old Aberdeen, was received only on the condition that he "obleidged him not to midle or work in tyme comeing any work of or belonging to any of the trads of the said burghe or ther incorporations, only that it shall be leasome to him to make or mend watches or cast bells as he may have occasione." Again on 6th November, 1678, William Durrie received his freedom on the distinct understanding that he was only to exercise it "for mackeing of pumps and single sollit shoes which the fremen of the Toune did not ordinarlie mack."

There are several instances of liberty being given to brew and sell ale, beer and aquavtae, and in this connection there appears the name of the only woman to be found in the Register. On 4th May, 1657, Annabell Barnet, the widow of Adam Fairlie, skipper, who is described as an old woman, and had lived since infancy within the burgh, received liberty to "brew and sell aill or bear or any other liquor shoe culd conventlie composs within this burt."

It was, of course, understood that when a trade burgess entered the guild he should drop his trade connection on taking up the calling of a merchant, as was the case on 8th April, 1685, when Alexander Galloway, goldsmith, appeared and renounced his trade burgess-ship on his admission as a burgess of guild; but sometimes this course was not acquiesced in, and the admission of Alexander Blair in 1655 is an illustration, as his admission to the guild was rendered null by the refusal to take the oath promising to give up his trade qualification.

Forfeiture of the privilege of burgess-ship was also not at all an uncommon occurrence, and this took place for several reasons. Prominent among the causes which led to this was non-residence within the burgh, as burgesses who after admission resided elsewhere were not able to lot, scot, watch and ward, and thus take an active share in the maintenance and defence of the town, which formed no inconsiderable part of the duties undertaken by a freeman.[1] In this connection during the seventeenth

[1] In 1665 an Act of Council was passed ordaining that every burgess of guild admitted should be worth at least £1000 (Scots), and have a house and lodging within the Town worth 500 merks. Council Register, LIV., 597.

century burgesses not only had to give personal service for the defence of the burgh and its liberties, but at their admission were also required to make a donation to the city armoury of some weapon of war,[1] the gift in the case of the guild burgesses taking the form of a musket and bandolier, while the craftsmen generally gave a pike. In 1675 these contributions took the form of a money payment, which was included in the amount of the admission dues.[2] The work of keeping the arms in serviceable condition was an onerous one, and so occasionally advantage was taken on the admission of a suitable craftsman to take him bound to perform this duty, as in the case of James Smith on 19th March, 1634, who in addition to the ordinary obligations also promised to keep the armour clean. A namesake, probably a son, on 23rd September, 1672, was received free of his craft "in respect he was content to macke cleine and oyll the haill armes in the Touns comon magazine hous with all possible diligence and to keep the same with the militia companies armes cleine for the space of two yeris heirafter without any payment therfor, the Magistrats always furnishing oyll and paying him for new work." Other cases of forfeiture are given in the Register for gross breaches of fair trading, such as being in possession of false weights, resetting of stolen goods, and in the case of fleshers for cutting and blowing of mutton. The method of carrying out the cancelling of the burgess right varied. In 1649 Thomas Clark in Newburgh was deprived of his freedom by proclamation at the Market Cross, while in another instance the burgess ticket was torn up in presence of the Council, and often the only instruction given was simply to delete the name from the Register.

During the period covered by the present portion of the Register a custom arose of admitting young children as burgesses, and this right seems to have been a special privilege of those who held office in the Council. The first case is that of Walter Robertson, who in 1634 had two sons admitted, and among the many infant burgesses thus made there is the instance of Robert Gordon, the founder of Gordon's College, who was received on 25th April, 1684. How young these children were on their admission can be judged from the entry of Baillie Gray's sons in 1658, one of whom was a year and a half and the other thirteen weeks old.

[1] Council Register, LIX., 373. [2] Ibid., LV., 196.

In the introduction to the earlier portion of the burgess roll reference was made to the obligation or oath taken by entering burgesses, and although the form was varied to some extent by the exigiency of the times, the following, from a printed copy in one of the volumes of the Register, may be taken as a fair example of the conditions imposed on both guild and craft burgesses.

Follows the BURGERS OATH, to be sworn by all BURGESSES of GILD, and Craftsmen of the Burgh of ABERDEEN the time of their Admission.

I Do solemnly swear in the presence of GOD, that I presently own, profess and shall adhere to and maintain the true Reformed PROTESTANT RELIGION, denying the Heresies of *Popery*, and *Quakerism*, and if I shall at any time hereafter (as GOD forbid) Apostatize from the said PROTESTANT RELIGION, by owning or professing *Popery* or *Quakerism*, I hereby Renounce all Benefite and Priviledge competent to Me as BURGES of ABERDEEN, alike as if I had never been admitted thereto.

I Do sincerely promise and swear that I will be Faithfull and bear true Alledgeance to Her Majesty Queen ANNE.

I Do solemnly Swear that I shall be obedient to the just and good Government of the said Burgh of ABERDEEN, and shall to the best of my power maintain and preserve the Peace and all the due Priviledges thereof, and particularly

I. I shall be leal and true to the said Burgh and Freedom.
II. I shall never skaith their Wares.
III. I shall foresee their profit, warn them of their skaith, and stop it to my power.
IV. I shall obey the Magistrates and their officers in all things Lawfull.
V. I shall vote no Person to be Provost, Bailie nor Counsellour of this Burgh, except Burgesses and actuall indwellers within the same.
VI. I shall give leall and true Counsell and advice, when it shall be asked.
VII. I shall conceal the Counsell and Secrets of the said Burgh.
VIII. I shall own no Unfreemens Goods under Colour of mine.

IX. I shall Scot, Lot, Watch, Wake and Ward with the inhabitants of this Burgh.

X. I shall purchase no Lordship Authority, nor Jurisdiction contrair to the Priviledges and Liberties of this Burgh, but shall maintain and defend the same to my Lifes End.

So Help Me GOD.

Addition for CRAFTSMEN.

I shall keep my self within the Bounds and Liberties of the Indentur past betwixt the Brethren of Gild and Craftsmen of this Burgh the *Seventh of July, One Thousand Five Hundred and Eighty Seven.*

I shall be lyable to, and obey the TOWNS Statutes.

So Help Me GOD.

NOTA That all Chirurgens, Apothecaries, Litsters, Barbers [[1]Fleshers] and others, who are not incorporat among the ordinar Trades, Do at their admission as Burgers Swear the forsaid *Oath*, except the fifth Article thereof, because they are only admitted Burgers in *Sua Arte* allenarly, and are not BURGERS of GILD, nor Incorporat as said is [[1]And have no vote in the Election of Magistrates or Councillors].

The expenses in extending the courtesy of the burgh to distinguished strangers must have entailed considerable drafts on the resources of the Council, as we learn from the Accounts that on almost every occasion expenditure was incurred beyond the actual providing of the burgess tickets. Thus the day following the admission of Major-General Monro, in September, 1640, he and his captains were entertained to a banquet at a cost of £65 12s. 4d., and the following expenditure taken from the Accounts of 1647-8, are examples of the entries constantly to be met with, both in the Accounts of the Treasurer and the Dean of Guild :—

Spendet with Luvtennent Crovner Hoorn and the rest of the officiers of the artelzerie regiement making thame burgessis at thair waygoing, aucht pondis ten schillingis achtpenneis.

The count of the courtesie giwen to Generall Maior Midletone in the counsalhous :—7 quartis Frensche wyne is 9 lib. 6s. 8d.; 2 quartis Spanis

[1] Additions in writing on the printed form.

wyne is 4 lib. 16s.; 9 pyntis strong eall at 3s. 4d. the pynt is 1 lib. 10s.; 6 pond confectionis at 30s. the pond is 9 lib.; 2 pond of sucker at 24s. the pond is 2 lib.; 1 pek of bons with butter in all peyt 1 lib. 10s.; for tobacco and pypes 1 lib. 5s. Quhilk extendis to in all 29 lib. 15s. 8d.

Spendet in the counsell hous upon Monsieur Montriell the Frensche agent as follows:—3 pond whyt succour at 1 lib. 4s., 3 lib. 12s.; 10 pond scortitsche and confectionis a lb. 30s., 15 lib.; peyt for waek confectionis 10 lib.; 7 quartis Frensche wyne is 9 lib. 6s. 8d.; 1 quart of seck is 2 lib. 13s. 4d.; for breid 8s.; for tobacco and pypes 1 lib. 5s.; 1 quart of bier and ane wyne glaes brockin 12s. 8d. Quhilk extendis to in all 42 lib. 17s. 8d.

These brief references to some of the matters dealt with in the Register are given to show how assistance may be got in elucidating many of the bye-paths of local and general history, and with the fuller information given by the entries in this portion of the Register it is hoped that considerable light may be thrown on the rise and growth of many of our northern families.

A. M. MUNRO.

REGISTER OF BURGESSES

g, guild burgess; *t*, trade burgess; *G*, honorary burgess, or admitted gratis without composition; *j*, in right of father's burgess-ship.

1631.			
Novr.	23.	Alexander Keyth	*g.*
Decr.	7.	Alex^{r} Jameson, fermore, simple burgess	
1632.			
Jany.	4.	Patrick Murison, simple burgess	
Feby.	15.	David Nicolson, wobster	*t.*
	22.	Jo^{n} Dason, fermore, simple burgess	
	27.	Thomas Lumsden, Armorer	*t.*
		George Moslet, skinner	
Mar.	20.	Ro^{t} Alexander, son to John A., burgess	
June	13.	Jo^{n} Duffes	*g.*
	20.	W^{m} Lytlejon, taillzeour	*t.*
		Alex^{r} Donald, taillzeour	*t.*
July	4.	W^{m} Scot, prentice to W^{m} Scott	*g.*
		Thomas Waker, cordiner	*t.*
		Alex^{r} Lesly, third son to John L. of Counteswelles	*g.*
Sept.	19.	Thomas Boys	*g.*
		Magnus Ro^{t}son, wright	*t.*
		William Willsone, second sone to Duncan W.[1]	

[1] The entries to this date are taken from the Accounts of the Dean of Guild, 1631-2, and connect those given in Vol. I. of the Miscellany with the entries in the separate register.

1632.

Sept. 19. William Forbes, son of John F. of Brux; Mr. James Forbes of Hauchetoun; John Fraser in Wattertoun; Patrick Dickson, servant to the Earl of Angus; Patrick Cruikshank, servant to Master of Stirling; William Fowlar, servant to Douglas of Glenbervye; Archibald Stewart, servant to Archibald, Lord Douglas; James Douglas, to Earl of Angus; John Gordon, servant to Sir James Douglas; James Cleland, servant to Sir John Hamiltoun; Richard Douglas, servant to the Earl of Angus; Walter Carmichell, Bernard Lindsay, servants to Sir James Maxwell; Robert Farquharson, servant to the Marquis of Huntly; John Andersone, Jr., of Druminwir; Malcolm Grahame and Lucus Greyushea(d). *G.*

William Forbes, son of the late John F. of Petnacaddell, burgess of Aberdeen, and Alexander Chalmer, son of the late Mr. George C., minister at Kynnoir, burgess *j.*

Mr. Alex. Fraser, son of late Adam F. of Fingzeauch, usher in the Grammar School *G.*

Octr. 6. Robert and Andrew Hay, sons of Walter H., advocate before the Supreme Court *j.*

25. Andrew Fraser, Commissary of Inverness, Thomas F., his son, and Robert Vas, writer to the said Commissariot *G.*

30. James Sym, tailor *t.*

Novr. 7. Robert Melvill, bookseller *G.*

9. Gilbert, Lord Hay (pupil); William Hay, younger of Delgatie, and James Hay of Cremound Mogat *G.*

Mr. Patrick Ratrie, minister at Crowden; Gavin Cruikshank, Alexander Hay, William Hay, George Hepburne, George Hay of Aquharine, Henry Maitland, John Blakhall, James Maxwell, Thomas Gray, William Burdance, John Hay, servants to Earl of Errol; John Mowat in Powbair and Robert Duigude *G.*

Gawin Cruikshank *g.*

Alexander Gray, staibler, license to brew and sell aill and bier.

Decr. 6. Sir John Hamiltoun of Reidhous; James Wod, his servant; Allan Lockhart of Henshillwod; Mr. William Douglas in Edinburghe and John Lorymer, servant to Sir James Hamiltoun of Reidhall *G.*

19. Robert Colinsone, re-admitted *g.*

Patrick Norie, tailor *t.*

29. John Meldrum of Auchnieve and John Keyth in Cattie, in respect they married daughters of the late Patrick Leslie, at one time baillie *g.*

1633.

Jany. 30. Andrew Aberdeine, re-admitted *g.*
John Legeaii, Frenchman, student of philosophy "in accademia Abredonensi" *G.*
Maximiliam de Berendrecht in Ziriksea in Zealand, and student of philosophy "in nova academia Abredonensi" *G.*

Feby. 9. William Jack, younger son of Patrick J., dyer *g.*
William Ord, eldest son of the late Mr. William O., burgess *g.*

Mar. 6. James Straqn., couper, eldest son to vmqll. Thomas S., cordener *t.*

21. Alexander Duncan and James Gaw, servants to Thomas Cromby of Kemnay *G.*
Alexander Simsone, servant to Thomas Nicolson, at one time baillie *g.*
George Leslie, son of George L., senior burgess *g.*
George Barclay, servant to Andrew Meldrum, late baillie *g.*

22. Rochus Bastardus, Zealand, student in philosophy at the New Academy *G.*

April 10. Charles Sangster, weaver, gave a pik to the tounes magazine *t.*

17. John Logan, merchant, gave a muskat and bandilier *g.*
William Thomsone and Thomas Thomsone, skinner, sons of the late Alexander T., skinner *t.j.*

24. Andrew Gudeaill, to give a muskat and bandillier *G.*

25. William Innes, in respect of his marriage with a daughter of Nicol Innes, burgess *G.*

May 3. John Scot, son of Sir John S. of Scotistarvet, one of the Lords of Session *j.*
John Achesone, servant to Sir John Scot *G.*
Robert Forbes, second son of the late Mr. William F. of Cragivar, burgess *j.*
Mr. William Lumsden, advocate *G.*

8. James Scherar, merchant, to give a muskat and bandilier *g.*
Patrick Watson, dyer, to give a pik *t.*

23. Mr. John Maill, advocate before the Senate of Rothomagi in Normady, and George Grant *G.*

June 17. Alexander Colinsone, son of the late John C. of Auchlunyes, provost *j.*

July 3. Mr. Thomas Blackhall, married daughter of a burgess *g.*
Sir James Grant, apparent of Grant, bart.; Mr. George Leslie, his teacher (tutor), and David Ross, his servant *G.*

10. Adam Kynneir, eldest son of the late John K., burgess *g.*
Thomas Moir, weaver, eldest son of Alexander M., weaver *t.j.*

1633.

July 23. Thomas Sanderis, tailor *t.*

25. Sir John Moncreiff of that ilk, bart.; David Betoun of Cheiche; Sir John Dundas of Seingzies; Alexander Burnet, apparent of Leyis; Robert Burnet, his brother; and Alexander Burnet, apparent of Craigmyill *G.*

Mr. Alexander Leask, Mr. Robert Bennet, Hugh Moncreiff, Alexander Moncreiff, and Henry Ortoun *G.*

Alexander and Thomas Lumsden, sons of Mr. Mathew L., dean of gild; Alexander Jaffray, elder son of — J.; Alexander Burnet, elder son of Alexander B.; and Andrew Burnet, son of Andrew B., senior *j.*

Augt. 1. John Leslie, servant to John, bishop of Rapho, in Ireland; and Mr. George Innes, notary public *G.*

Mr. Alexander Wedderburne, youngest son of the late William W., burgess; and James Wedderburne, son of Mr. David W., burgess and rector of the Grammar School *j.*

14. William Davidsone, tailor, married a daughter of a craftsman *t.*

Septr. 5. Sir Patrick Ogilvye of Inchemartine; Patrick O., his son and heir; and Robert Hepburne, advocate in Edinburgh *G.*

Andrew Ogilvye of Balgaii, George Ramsay, Thomas Andersone, and William Mowat *G.*

16. Mr. Robert Meldrum, son of the late Sir David M. of Segye *G.*

William Andersone, merchand, simple burgess[1]

19. Mr. William Ballantyne of Kynnocher; George Fleeming, portioner of Kynnocher, and John Poutens, physician *G.*

John Wilsone, eldest son of the late William W., burgess *g.*

James Browne in Noth *g.*

25. George Farquhar, journeyman[2] with Mr. Robert F., burgess *g.*

Thomas Marshall, servant to Baillie Gilbert Colinsone *g.*

28. John Macklie, writer in Edinburgh *G.*

Novr. 4. John Forbes, married daughter of Mr. Thomas Johnston, baillie *g.*

15. Walter Vrquhart of Cromby, James Duff his servant, and Mr. William Meldrum, brother to Patrick M. of Iden *G.*

[1] As formerly explained, this was a privilege to deal in Scottish wares only, leaving the foreign and staple goods as a monoply of the guild merchant.

[2] The word used is *peremptorius*, meaning a journeyman living in family with a master, which, as we learn from the Indenture Book, was the almost universal custom with apprentices at this period.

1633.

Decr. 10. Andrew, Patrick and Thomas Forbes, sons of Dr. William F., minister at Aberdeen *j.*

18. James Cantlie *g.*

1634.

Jany. 1. Robert Nicol, to give a muskat and bandielier. *g.*

John, Earl of Kinghorne, Lord Lyon and Glammes *G.*

John Lyon, fiar of Muresk *G.*

Andrew Forbes, Edward Prettie, John Lyon in Rochallhill, Patrick Murray, John Fleeming, Andrew Crafurd, Archibald Will and Roger Douglas, servants to the Earl of Kinghorn; James Ramsay and George Straitton, servants to Robert Irwing of Fedderet *G.*

John Vdnye in Craig of Balhelvy, for special favour to John V. of Newburghe *G.*

8. James and Walter Robertsone, sons of James R., burgess, admitted as pupils. *g.*

George Gordone, married the daughter of a burgess *g.*

John Lichtoun, only son of John L., burgess. *g.*

14. Captain John Lichtoun, lieutenant colonel to General Stolhause in Sweden *G.*

John Gordon, second son of Gilbert G., burgess. *g.*

Gilbert Guthrie, apothecary, elder son of Hercules G., chirurgeon, burgess. *g.*

Feby. 5. William Andersone, second son of the late William A. in Maillingsyid, burgess, to give a muskat or £8. *g.*

Mar. 5. William Lindsay in Barraledaillis, to give a muskat *g.*

12. Andrew Davidson in Smallburne, re-admitted *g.*

Thomas Davidson, son of Andrew D. *g.*

Patrick Gib, merchand, re-admitted, to give a muskat *g.*

William Walker, son of Patrick W., burgess *g.*

Patrick Gordon, dyer, married daughter of a burgess *t.*

19. John Chessure, son of John C. in Dear, to give a pik *g.*

James Smith, blacksmith, son of Andrew S., smith. Promised to keep the armour cleine *t. j.*

John Ferrar, shoemaker, to give a pik *t.*

April 12. Charles, Earle of Dumfermeline, Lord Fyve and Vrquhart; Sir James Hacquet of Petfirren; Mr. Robert Smith; James Espline Johne Mathowsone, Williame Nisbet, Thome Hoome and Alexr. Fergusone, all servants to the said Earle; Patrik Gordoun, servant to Alexr. Setone of Petmedden and William Seton, fear of Disblair *G.*

1634.

April 12. Andrew Meldrum, dyer, at request of Earl of Dumfermline *t.*
Alexander Shand, elder son of late Thomas S. *j.*

May 6. John Johnstoune, appeirand of Elphinstoun; Mr. Walter Dundas; Mr. Williame Trent; Robert Dishingtoune, and Alexr. Simsone *G.*
John Lunan, in respect he married daughter of a burgess *g.*

13. George Heggein, sailor *g.*

June 18. Andrew Cobban in Corss, simple burgess

25. John Duncan *g.*

July 3. Robert Vdnye, son of Arthur V., burgess *g.*

Augt. 1. William Hay, son of Baillie John H. *j.*
Mr. William Johnstoune, only son of the late Mr. Thomas J., sometime baillie *j.*

22. John Hamiltoun of Orbiestoun; Mr. Adam Hepburne, Clerk to the King's Taxation; Patrick Fowles, Thomas Ross, Andrew Hanshie and Andrew Mylne, servants to Thomas Mowat of Ardo *G.*

27. Mr. John Pringill, son of Robert P., Writer to the Signet; James Pringill, son of the late David P., burgess of Edinburgh; Mr. David Bishop, and Mr. Alexr. Forbes, son of Mr. Robert F., portioner of Fynresse *G.*

31. Simon, Master of Lovet, Hugo Fraser, his brother, Simon Fraser of Inverallachie, Thomas Fraser of Strowye, William Fraser of Culbokie, Hugo Fraser of Balladrum, Mr. William Fraser in kirk of Killmorak, James Glendynning and James Tarress, servants to the Laird of Lovet *G.*

Sept. 3. David Jaffray, second son of late James J., burgess—pupil. *g.*

10. John Forbes, son of the late James F., burgess. *g.*

13. George and Robert Keyth, sons of William, Earl Marischal; Alexander and Robert Keyth, sons of Sir George K. of Powburne *G.*

15. John Johnstoun, only son of the late Gilbert J. of Frosterhill, burgess *g.*

17. Robert Auld, shoemaker *t.*
Andrew Kellie, baker, son of John K., baker, burgess *t.*
Alexander Scrymgeor, flesher *t.*
Alexander Thomesone, flesher, eldest son of the late Gilbert T., shoemaker, burgess *t.*

24. James Colinsone, elder son of the late Walter C., burgess *g.*
John Inglis, servant to Paul Inglis, burgess *g.*
Henry Kempt, servant to Patrick Leslie, provost *g.*
George Hay, son of James H. of Niwiriefauld, burgess *g.*

1634.

Sept. 30. Sir James McGill of Cranstoun — riddell, Lord of Session; Adam Keltie, one of the clerks of the King's Exchequer; Alexander Omay, son of Mr. Alexr. O., rector of Erroll; Andrew Robertson, son of Gilbert R. of Newbigging; Robert Thomson, servant to the said Laird of Cranstoun; William Steinson, servant to Mr. Laurence McGill, advocate, and Mr. John Patersone, minister at Foverane *G.*

Patrick Moir, son of the late Mr. William Moir, burgess *g.*

Novr. 1. James Innes, in respect he married a burgess' daughter *g.*

11. George Crichtoune, younger of Creichie *G.*

John Chalmer, organ maker *t.*

John Brown, journeyman to Thomas Thomson, merchant, at special request of Mr. William Johnstoun, doctor of medicine *g.*

James Reid, at request of Mr. Patrick Dean, doctor of medicine *g.*

Robert Brabner, at request of Mr. James Chalmers, physician to the King *g.*

13. Mr. George Andersone, theological student in King's College, at request of Mr. John Forbes, D.D. *g.*

26. Alexander Hay, son of Thomas H. in Graystane *G.*

Decr. 3. William Simsone, shoemaker, married daughter of a craftsman *t.*

11. Francis Litster, son of the late Alexander L., burgess *g.*

1635.

Jany. 10. Thomas Hay, Captain Major *G.*

Feby. 2. Alexander Burnet, eldest son of Alexander B. of Kirktoun, burgess *g.*

4. James Rany, shoemaker *t.*

18. Thomas Midletoun, baker *t.*

Mr. William Hay, Rector of Cremond; Patrick Hay, brother of John H. of Cremondmogat; and John Hay, son of John H. of Tillikeiro *G.*

Mar. 11. Reverend Father in Christ, John, Bishop of Ross; Mr. John Inglis, John Crichtoune, and Mr. William Lawder, servants to the said bishop; David Dryisdaill and John Arbuthnot *G.*

13. Hugh, Lord Lovat; Alexander Fraser of Techmurie, and Thomas Findlason *G.*

William Logan, Eugeinne Cameron, William Murray, John Mcjeines, William Bayn, Simon Burt, and John McComye, servants to Lord Lovat *G.*

1635

Mar. 15. Alexander Brodie of that ilk; Alexr. Brodie of Lethim; John Vrquhart, son of Vrquhart of Cromartie; John Adamson and Mr. Patrick Jameson *G.*

18. Charles Dwn, dyer, son of the late Charles D., dyer *t.j.*

April. 8. Alexander Stewart, wright, to give a pik *t.*

22. William Meldrum in Achterles, to give a muskat and bandielier *g.*

25. Mr. William Hay, Commissary clerk of Edinburgh; Vmphred Dowye, depute clerk; Robert Sinclair, Mr. Walter Craig and Alexr. Bruce *G.*

Arthur Astian, servant to the said Mr. William Hay *G.*

May 7. Mr. Robert Paip, son of Mr. John P., Writer to the Signet *G.*

Alexander Davidson, advocate, Aberdeen, and George Scot, his servant *G.*

Gilbert Gray, son of Mr. Thomas G., baillie—pupil *j.*

Patrik Johnstoune, hatemaker *t.*

June 5. John Birnye, servant to Sir William Forbes of Cragivar, at special request of Doctor John Forbes of Cors *G.*

29. Mr. John Barron *G.*

July 16. Captain Vallange *G.*

22. John Scot, tailor, at special request of Dr. Robert Baron *t.*

Andro Watsone, flesher, married a frieman's dochter *t.*

Augt. 2. Gilbert Wyntoun, burgess of Dundie *G.*

5. William Davidsone, skinner, to give a pik *t.*

24. Mr. Robert Trotter, advocate before Supreme Courts; Mr. Robert Ogilvye, one of the Regents of King's College, and James Keyth, servant to John Dunlop, advocate *G.*

29. Reverend Father in Christ, Thomas, Bishop of Galloway *G.*

Mr. John Byires, son of the late John B., sometime Dean of Guild of Edinburgh, and John Stirling, writer in the said Burgh: also Mr. William Guthrie, brother to John, Bishop of Moray *G.*

Thomas Murray, servant to the Bishop of Galloway *G.*

William Gray, elder son of William G., baillie of Edinburgh; George Forbes, his servant, and Thomas Wyllie, son of the late Alexander W., writer in Edinburgh *G.*

Patrick Garioche, servant to John Forbes of Cors *G.*

Sept. 18. Reverend Father in Christ, Adam, Bishop of Aberdeen; Mr. David Ballantyne, John B., his son; John Blakwod, servant to the said Bishop; Mr. David Mitchell, minister at Edinburgh, and Mr. William Mushet *G.*

1635.

Sept. 18. George Cheyne, servant to Mr. Alexr. Guthrie, town clerk of Edinburgh *G.*

John Maule, fear of Melgum; John Davidsone and John Hanna, servants to Sir Spotisiwod of Newabay, President of Court of Session, and Mr. Johne Cheyne, Rector of Kinkell *G.*

Mr. John Andersone, Writer to the Signet; William Findlay, journeyman to William Patrie, burgess, at request of Bishop of Aberdeen *G.*

John Andersone, sailer in toun of Torrie, and William Cushny, servant to Walter Robertsone, Dean of Guild. Cushney married to daughter of a free burgess *G.*

Patrick Findlay, son of the late William F., sailor, burgess *j.*

Donald McEwyn and James Yong, servants to the Bishop of Aberdeen, at request of the Bishop *G.*

James Skeyne, son of Robert S., merchant, burgess, a pupil *g.*

Adam Ross, to give a muskat and bandilier *g.*

John Giffurd, dyer, at request of Sir Paul Menzies *t.*

Arthur Dalgarno, servant to Alexr. Colinson, burgess *g.*

Andrew Ingrahame, dyer, son of the late William I., burgess *g.*

Alexander Mylne, servant to Thomas Cromby of Kemnay, Sheriff of Aberdeen, at request of the Sheriff *G.*

22. James Scot, fear of Scotistarvet, and Adam Vrquhart of Auchintoule *G.*

Andrew Conqueror and Mr. Andrew Moore, at request of the said James Scot *G.*

John Barclay, chirurgeon *G.*

Decr. 3. Mr. William Clogie, minister at Inverness; Mr. Patrick Guthrie and Andrew Guthrie, sons of John, Bishop of Moray, and John Murray, servant to John, Bishop of Ross *G.*

16. John Edward, weaver, married to daughter of a burgess *t.*

Archibald Baxter, elder son of the late Francis B., merchant *j.*

17. James Rutherford, D.D., rector of Covenhame, Lincolnshire *G.*

1636.

Feby. 17. John Guderick, son of Sir Henry G. of Robstoun, Yorkshire *G.*

Mar. 9. Patrick Sangster, coupar, served his prenticeship with a craftsman burgess *t.*

16. James Forbes, flesher *t.*

23. Henry Mar, elder son of the late Robert M., wright, to give a pik *g.*

30. James Galloway, shoemaker, eldest son of William G., shoemaker *t. j.*

April 16. James Sinklar, son of John S., Dean of Guild of Edinburgh *G.*

1636.

May 18. Thomas Mackie, shoemaker, to give a muskat and bandilier *t.*

25. Patrick Reid, second son of Patrick R., burgess *g.*

June 8. Alexander Etershank, coupar [rubric has Cruikshank] *t.*

John Duncan, weaver, each to give a pik *t.*

John Rogie, tailor, elder son of William R., tailor, burgess *t.*

27. George, Robert, and Alexander Keythe, sons of the late William, Earl Marischal; Alexander Erskyn, son of Captain Alexander E.; John Keyth, son of the late George, Earl Marischal; Robert Douglas of Brigfoord; Mr. Robert Arbuthnot, James Hervie and James Burnet, son of James B. of Craigmyle *G.*

John Patersone, David Sutherland, Stephan Pattoun, William Cokie, John Laikay and Thomas Howysone, servants to William, Earl Marischal; Thomas Burnet, servant to Sir Thomas Burnet of Leyis; Alexander Davidsone in Petyet, and Gilbert Forsyth, servant to Robert Keyth, Writer to the Signet *G.*

Johne Robertsone and Johne Cameron, simple burgesses

July 27. James Smith, weaver, elder son of William S., weaver *t. j.*

Augt. 1. Mr. Ludovic Dunlop, son of Mr. John D., minister at Ratho, and William Cunynghame, servant to Adam, Bishop of Aberdeen, at request of the Bishop *G.*

George Abircromby, sailor, at request of the Bishop *G.*

19. James Prymrois, son of James P., clerk to the Privy Council; Mr. John Callendar, his servant, and Mr. James Ladlie, writer *G.*

Mr. John Adamsone, Principal of the College of Edinburgh; Hugh Cumyng, his servant, and Mr. Andrew Moore *G.*

30. William Erskyn, brother to Thomas Erskyn of Petodrie *G.*

Sept. 7. William Goldman of Sainfoord and Mr. Andrew Cant, minister at Petsligo *G.*

10. Mr. Thomas Sandilands, Commissary of Aberdeen; Mr. James Sandilands, principal clerk to the said Commissary, son of Mr. James S., LL.D., Commissary and burgess, and Mr. Thomas Lillie, clerk depute to the said Commissary *G.*

14. Alexander Storie, dyer, servant to Charles Dwn, dyer, burgess, to give a muskat and a bandlier *t.*

Alexander Craw, weaver *t.*

Collonell Thomas Gairdyn, Angus Makintoshe, son to vmqll Sir Lachlan Mackintoshe of Turchastell; William Gairdyn, son to John G. of Ballimoir; Johne Kynneir and Johne Gordone, servants to Colonel Gairdyn *G.*

1636.

Sept. 14. Robert Lumisden, son of William L., burgess *g.*

15. Andrew Or, servant to Mr. John Andersone, Writer to the Signet, at request of the Bishop *G.*

21. William Scot, wright, to give a pik *t.*

Robert Leslie, weaver, elder son of John L., weaver *t. j.*

William Patersone *g.*

24. James and Patrick Alexander, sons of John A., burgess *g.*

Robert Harrow, miller *g.*

Mr. William Robertsone, servant to Mr. Roger Mowat of Drumbrek, Advocate in the High Court *g. j.*

John Archibald, servant to Walter Robertsone, Dean of Guild, at request of the Dean *G.*

Novr. 5. George Cruikshank, son of the late Alexander C., burgess *g.*

Alexander Aikinheid, Writer to the Signet; Patrick Bell, burgess of Linlithgo, and Alexander Neill, servant to Mr. Thomas Aikinheid, Commissary of Edinburgh *G.*

9. Thomas Sherar, married a daughter of a burgess *g.*

23. Alexander Rankyn, wright *t.*

Decr. 3. Sir Alexander Straqn. of Thornetoun; John Falconar, John Burnes, his servants, and John McMoran, servant to Douglas of Glenbervie *G.*

14. James Ogilvye of Arda *G.*

1637.

Jany. 4. Andrew Chapman, baker, second son of Patrick C., baker, burgess *t.*

6. Thomas Buck, elder son of the late Thomas B., baillie *g.*

John Donaldson, only son of the late John D., burgess *g.*

Walter Douglas, servant to Mr. Robert Farquhar, at one time baillie *G.*

11. John Findlasone, baker *t.*

Feby. 4. Sir John Carnegye of Ethie; Mr. John Straqn. of Brigtoun; Patrick Airthe and David Beltie, servants to the said Sir John *G.*

8. Robert Durward, merchant *g.*

Mar. 1. Patrick Ross, merchant *g.*

15. George, James and Robert Fergusone, sons of the late Robert F., burgess *g.*

29. Alexander Willox, second son of James W., wright *g.*

April 4. George, Earl of Seaforth, Lord McKenzie and Kintaill; Alexander McKenzie, brother to Sir John McKenzie of Tarbet; Donald McKenzie of Logye; John McKenzie, apparent of Melburst; Colin McKenzie of Kincraig; William Falconar, John Alshinor and John McComyes, servants to the said earl; Mr. William Lawder and Mr. John McCraw *G.*

1637.

April 6. Arthur and John Forbes, brothers of James F. of **Blacktoun**, at request of Earl of Seaforth *G.*

Andrew Mihie, at request of Earl of Seaforth *G.*

26. William, Earl of Glenkarne, Lord Cunynghame *G.*

Patrick, Lord of Oliphant; Alexander Abircromby of **Birkinbog**; Sir Alexander Abircromby, fear of Birkinbog, and Mr. John Abircromby, son of the said Alexander *G.*

James Andersone in Lægatisden, at request of **James, Lord** of Deskfoord *G.*

Walter Ogilvye of Bankheid; James Abircromby, son of Alexander A. of that ilk; John Muirheid and James **Hamiltoune**, servants to the Earl of Glenkairne; John Ogilvye, George Ogilvye and George Third, servants to the laird of **Deskford**; John Oliphant, servant to the laird of Oliphant, and Alexander Ogilvye, servant to Sir Alexander Abircromby of Birkinbog *G.*

May 24. William Lichtoune in Denmylne *g.*

Andrew, John and Alexander Burnet, sons of **Andrew B., senior**, burgess, pupils *g.*

Robert Hall, shoemaker *t.*

June 14. William Rolland *g.*

16. Thomas Cargill, son of the late Mr. Thomas C., burgess *g.*

22. George Gordone of Newtoun; Patrick Gordone of Kincraigie; John Gordone, son of William G. of Sauchin; John Turnor, John Peires, Abraham Ridge, James Douglas, servants to George, Marquis of Huntlie; Alexander Gordone, apparent of Petindreiche *G.*

John Crichtoun, servant to Scot, younger of Scotistarvet, and Robert Irwing, one of the serjands of Aberdeen *G.*

Em du Blais, frenchman, chirurgion to my lord Marqueis of Huntlie, and George Gordon, browdinstair, servant to my lord Gordone, with frie libertie to exerce thair craftis, at request of the said lord Marqueis.

John Carstaires of Newgrange; Walter Murray, son of Murray of Blakbarony; Mr. John Forbes, son of the late Mr. William F. of Craigievar; Robert Dwn, servant to John Carstaires; John Cockburne, servant to the laird of Craighall, and James Petindreiche, King's Messenger *G.*

1637.

July 10. Andrew Wilsone, baillie of Perth; John Johnstoune, baillie of Stirling; Robert Tailzeor, provost of St. Andrews; Patrick Bell, provost of Glasgow; George Bell, baillie of Linlithquo; Robert Gordone, baillie of Air; David Jamesone, provost of Coupar; Gilbert Gourlay of Newgrange; Thomas McBrair, baillie of Dumfreis; George Hall, baillie of Dumbartan; John Somerwell, baillie of Renfrew; John Pitkarne, burges of Perth; Mr. John Murray in Dundie, and Thomas Muirheid, factor in Camphear[1] *G.*

John Andersone, burges of Glasgo *G.*

12. James Murray in Tocherfurd *g.*

15. John Erskyn, servant to John, Earl of Traquair, King's Treasurer *G.*

19. Andrew Watson in Ellon, at request of James, lord of Aboyn *G.*

20. Captain Major John Ker; John Kar, his lieutenant, and John Kellie *G.*

Augt. 26. John Crichtoune, baker journeyman to Robert Forbes, baker *t.*

George Gordone, armourer, journeyman to Alexander Patersone, armourer *t.*

Sept. 13. Patrick Burrie, elder son of the late William B., skinner *g.*

Alexander Gordone, weaver *t.*

Alexander and John Jaffray, sons of Mr. Alexander J. of Kingiswallis, provost, and Alexander Burnet, second son of the late Andrew B., burgess *g.*

14. John Kennedye, baillie of Air *G.*

Duncan Scherar, servant to Mr. Alexander Reid, advocate, burgess *G.*

16. Thomas, laird of Fentoun; Alexander, Master of Backarras; James Hendersone, son of Sir John H. of Fordone; William Keyth, apparent of Ludquharne; Alexander Straqn., apparent of Thornetoun; Mr. Alexander Seton, son of John S. of Mynnes; Robert Keyth of Mill of Garvack, and James Thomesone in Wodheid *G.*

18. William Reid, elder son of the late Alexander R., sailor, burgess, and John Straqn., sailor, son of the late John S., sailor, burgess *g.*

20. George Watt, tailor, at request of Adam, bishop of Aberdeen *t.*

John Howye, weaver, at request of Mr. David Wedderburne, Master of Grammar School *t.*

21. Archibald Prymrois, son of James P., clerk to the Privy Council, and John Dunlop, sheriff clerk of Invernes *G*

25. William Lorymer *G*

[1] Commissioners to Convention of Burghs.

1637.

Octr. 9. Mr. James Aikinheid, advocate before Supreme Court, and Thomas Swan, his servant *G.*

Novr. 8. Andrew Wishert, machinemaker *t.*

Decr. 6. Robert Colinson *G.*

12. Mr. Robert Dwn, doctor of medicine *G.*

Mr. Alexander Fraser, doctor of medicine *G.*

31. John Allardes in Achterles, to give a muskat and bandielier *g.*

1638.

Feby. 14. Robert Nicoll *g.*

Mar. 7. Gilbert Watsone *g.*

21. John Kemptie, merchant *g.*

April 4. George Gray, elder son of William G., sadler *t. f.*

Peter Sherar, shoemaker *t.*

25. John Chessure, burgess, re-admitted.

June 6. James Andersone, to give a pik *g.*

27. James Mylne, saddler *t.*

Augt. 15. James Murray, elder son of the late James M., merchant *g. f.*

17. Lieutenant Colonel Williame Johnstone, son of Robert J., provost *g. f.*

Sept. 5. John Straqn., weaver, married daughter of a craftsman *t.*

19. Robert Boyd, shoemaker *t.*

Mr. Patrick Gray, elder son of the late Mr. William G., rector of Auchterles *g. f.*

Mr. Robert Adamsone, servant to George, Marquis of Huntlie; Alexander Gordone and James Duff, servants to George, lord Gordon *G.*

26. George Davidsone, servant to Robert Skeyne, burgess, at request of Mr. William Davidson of Ord, Sheriff depute of Aberdeen *G.*

Hugh Fraser, tailor *t.*

Nov. 21. George Keith in Loiristoun, at request of William, Earl Marischal, and , Lord Seton *G.*

28. Alexander Alshinor, third son of the late Robert A., burgess *g.*

Dec. 19. George Boyes, induellar in Aberdeine, simple burgess

1639.

Jany. 16. James Robertsone, younger, indwellar *g.*

Alexander Gordone, sone of the late John G. of Tullielt; Nathaniel Leask, brother to William L. of that ilk; and James Barnet, servant to George Moresone, burgess *G.*

Mar. 2. Alexander Strauchane, elder son of the late John S., sailor, burgess *g.*

1639.

Mar. 11. Capitane Abrahame Whillier, capitane of his maiesties pinage Grewhound; Harie Cowart, maister; Johne Jakson, pursar; Williame Cock, pilot; Johne Gudeeill and Stephane Willing, saillers *G.*

13. Cornelius Stavines of Zealand *G.*

April 13. Mungo Campbell, fear of Lawars; James Campbell of Abirwrchell; Johne McNab, servant to the laird of Lawars; Johne McKoull, servant to the said James Campbell, and Mr. Johne Rollok, advocat in Edr. *G.*

James Gibsone, advocat in Edinr., and Mr. Thomas Gilzeame, his servand *G.*

Alexander McKenzie, servand to the said James Gibsone *G.*

June 26. Capitane Hill, Capitane of his maties. ship callit the third whelp; Williame Setone of Schethin, Mr. Thomas Panter, Minister; Major Moyn, Capitane George Gwn, James Crab, Capitane James Steinsone, Capitane Piter Orem, Enseigine Johne Steinsone, Lieutenent Thomas Davidsone, Lieutenent Robert Walker, Johne Hamman, maister of the Batchelie of Ypsioitche, Capitane Pait, Capitane James Gordone, James Reid, enseignie to Collonell Gwn, Johne Musset, Alexr. Forrest, Lieutenent Arrell Tillie, Arthure Setone, brother to the said Wm. S. of Schethin, and Williame Hakerstoun *G.*

Augt. 7. Gilbert Malcolme, weaver, to give a pik *t.*

Robert Ramsay, only son of the late Robert R., burgess *g.*

23. Richard Bodye *g.*

Sept. 11. James Ray, baker, married daughter of a comburgess *t.*

18. George Moresone, tailor, married daughter of a comburgess *t.*

Patrick Leslie, elder son of the late John L., burgess *g.*

Andrew Wilsone, weaver, married daughter of a craftsman *t.*

25. Patrick Gordone, servant to John Leslie, baillie *G.*

Octr. 18. John Donaldson, elder son of the late John D., sailor, burgess, a pupil *g.*

1640.

Jany. 8. Alexander Robertsone in Crowden *g.*

15. Patrick Watt, shoemaker, to give a pik *t.*

23. Robert Alexander, eldest son of Richard A., burgess, a pupil *g.*

James Broun, sailor, married daughter of a free burgess, to give a muskat *g.*

29. Michael Findlater, second son of Alexander F., dyer, burgess *g.*

1640.

Jany. 29. Patrick Strachan, merchant, to give a pick *g.*

Mar. 2. John Gordone, eldest son of Robert G., provost of Air and burgess of Aberdeen *g.*

25. Thomas Clerk, son of Magin C. in Newburghe, at one time burgess, to give a muskat *g.*

April 15. James Davidsone, weaver *t.*

29. James Andersone, merchant *g.*

Augt. 8. Mr. Andrew Ramsay, minister at Edinburgh, Mr. Robert and Mr. William, his sons, and Robert Burrell, baillie of Perth *G.*

Sept. 7. Colonel Robert Monro, General in command of the Scottish expedition; Major George Barclay, Capitane Charles Arnot of that ilk, Capitane Thomas Dazell of Bynnes, Capitane William Drummond of Medertie, Capitane William Hepburne of Wachtoun, Capitane James Wallace of Athans, Capitane Andrew Breyden, Capitan Robert Wachop, Capitane John Monro of Lumlair, Mr. William Nairne, John Vrquhart, James Liddell, William Drummond, Andrew Leslie, Mr. Robert Nairne, Andrew Monro, elder, Andrew Monro, younger, John Gilespie, Ninian Johnstoun, Alexander Crafurd, David Monro, Alexander Leslie, apparent of Petcappill, Robert Crafurd, James Mengzeis, James Aikinheid and James Liddell *G.*

George Leslie, formerly apprentice to Adam Gordone, merchant, and now servant to Patrick Leslie, provost, at request of provost[1] *G.*

John Rodgie, servant to Alexander Jaffray, dean of gild, at request of the dean *G.*

Arthur Forbes, Ruitmaister in Gnall. Major Monro his regiment *G.*

12. Lieutenent Colonell Mr. Hew Fraser, Charles Nicoll, Robert Gib, Patrik Kilmany, Daniell Monro, Williame Ross and James Abircromby *G.*

23. Robert Farquhar, youngest son of Johne F. of Noram, at request of Mr. Robert Farquhar, baillie, his vncle, in consideration of Mr. Robert's gude service done this yeir to the toune in his said office, and becaus he hes releivit the toun of a burdeine be holding ane frie hous to Genrall Major Monro during the whole tyme of his remaining in Aberdein. The toune being chairgit and lyable to have furnishit spyceries, salt, veshell, naprie, bedding, fyir and sindrie uther houshold stuff for his hous. The chairges and expenses qrof wold have far exceidit any compositioun. Oath dispensit because of his minoritie *G.*

[1] Admission renewed and ratified by Act of Council, 24th March, 1669.

1640.

Octr. 26. John, lord of Sinklar *G.*
Francis Sinklar of Northfield, son of the Earl of Kaithness, Capitan William Innes, Capitan Adam Sutherland, Walter Innes, lieutenant *G.*
John Sinklar, David Sinklar, John Melvill and William Alexr., servants to John, lord of Sinklar *G.*
John Forbes, elder son of Duncan F. of Collodin, and John Gibbon, journeyman to John Duncan, merchant *G.*

Decr. 23. James Mylne, servant to Rev. Mr. Patrick Dwn, docter of medicine and Principal at New College, Aberdeen, at request of Dr. Dwn *G.*

1641.

Jany. 6. Alexander Gray, cooper *t.*

Feby. 12. John Ritchie, cowper, at request of Johne, lord Sinclar *G.*

Mar. 31. George Black in Rothie *g.*

April 7. Andrew Sibbald, dyer, married a daughter of a comburgess *t.*
James Bissat, dyer *t.*

22. George, Earl of Wentoun, lord Alexr. Seton, second son of the said Earl, Mr. James Buchan of Auchmacoy. Also John Kirk, David Abircromby, Thos. Abircromby and Patrick Clappertoun, servants to the said Earl[1] *G.*
George Cruikshank, eldest son of John C., burgess *g.*

28. George Cruikshank, armorar *t.*

May 12. George Cummyng, servant to Sir Patrick Drummond, Conservator of the Scottish privileges at Belgas, at request of the said Sir Patrick *G.*

26. George Jaffray *g.*

June 30. Alexander Gordone of Birsmoir, and John G., his brother *G.*

July 14. Alexander, lord Petsligo, a pupil *G.*

21. Alexander Greigorie, servant to Mr. Alexander Jaffray, at one time provost, at request of the said Mr. Alexander *G.*

Augt. 18. Robert Cruickshank, tailor *t.*

25. Gilbert Andersone, son of William A., dyer, burgess, married daughter of a craftsman *g.*
George Bruce, saidler, renounced his craft and admitted burgess of guild. *g.*

[1] The entry is dated March but should be April.

1641.

Augt. 30. Doctor William Hervye, physician to the King, Hadrian Mitcalff, apothecary to the King, and Mr. Alexander Midletoun, sub principal of King's College *G.*

Sept. 8. John Keilo in Crowden *g.*

15. Patrick Wilson *g.*

John Donaldson, younger, married daughter of a comburgess *g.*

Robert Anderson, tailor, elder son of William A., tailor, burgess *t.*

29. Patrick Leyth, tailor *t.*

Decr. 14. Mr. David Lindsay, minister at Balhelvye, and Mr. John Row, minister at Aberdeen *G.*

Mr. William Robertsone, minister at Futtie, elder son of the late Charles R., burgess *g.*

18. General Sir James King *G.*

Lieutenant-Colonel James King *G.*

Hans Jacob King, son to Lieutenent Colonell James K., Johne K., brother to General Sir James K., Williame Sinclar of Seba, Johne King, Cap., Johne Veitche, Adam Arnehult, Robert Abircromby *G.*

30. Mr. James Oswald, minister at Aberdeen *G.*

1642.

Jany. 9. John Moresone, lieutenant, David Tailzeor[1] and Robert Makgreigor, sergants in the regiment of lieutant colonel Sir John Sinclar *G.*

Thomas Forbes, servant to Andro Mihie, simple burgess.[2]

12. Gilbert Johnstoun, elder son of the late Alexander J., burgess *g.*

Patrick Willox, wright, second son of the late Robert W., wright, burgess *t.*

19. William Watsone in Fyvie *g.*

Gilbert Duffus in Fyvie *g.*

Feby. 16. William Maitland, smith, elder son of the late John M., smith, burgess *t.*

Mar. 2. William Douny, tailor *t.*

April 6. George Fyiff, simple burgess.

Williame Mathosone, simple burgess.

13. William Craig, sailor, at request of General Sir James King. He married the daughter of a burgess *G.*

20. Alexander Gray, wright, journeyman to William Gray, wright, burgess *t.*

[1] 27 July, 1642, David Tailzeor compeirand in presence of the Counsall renuncit his gild burgesship.

[2] Nota this act is declairit null be the Magistratis.

1642.

April 27. Ochtrie Fairindaill, glover and perfwmar, "be resone thair is none uther of that calling within the toun" *t.*
Alexander Brodie *g.*

May 4. Robert Willox, wright, son of the late Robert W., wright, burgess *t.*

11. James Rannald, brother of William R., merchant, burgess, to provide himself with "ane sufficient muskat, bandieler and sword under the payne of xl lib" *g.*

25. George Kempt, machine maker *t.*

June 1. Patrick Cordoner *g.*
Alexander Cruikshank, cooper, served apprenticeship in the burgh *t.*

15. Peter Crystie *g.*

July 28. James, Lord Drummond; Charles Gordon, son to George, Marquis of Huntlie; John Drummond of Ballache; John Drummond, son to Sir James D. of Machnie; Thomas Drummond, John Drummond and James Hervie, servants to Lord Drummond *G.*
John Midletoun and John Thomeson, servants to Lord Drummond; John Carmichell, servant to John Drummond of Ballache; William Huntar, servant to Marquis of Huntlie; Robert Sinclair, servant to Francis Sinclar, son to the Earl of Cathnes *G.*

Augt. 17. Robert Meldrum in Ochterles *g.*
David Corner, servant to John, lord Sinclar *G.*
James Rany, laxfisher, simple burgess.

20. Donald Fraser, servant to Sir Alexander Fraser, docter of medicne, at request of his master *G.*
John Galloway, younger *g.*

24. Thomas Still, laxfisher, simple burgess.

Sept. 5. David, lord Elcho; Alexander, lord Balgownye; Hugh Fraser, Master of Lovat; General Sir John Ruthven, James Wod of Grange, Angus Mackdonald of Glengarie, George Law of Bruntoun, Duncan Buchannan, Dauid Lindsay, son of John L., town clerk of Brechin; Mr. Dauid Weymes, Mr. John Weymes, Hugh Fraser of Balladrum, Francis Arudill, Alexander Leslie, writer in Edinburgh; William Letham of Pomaris, and James Fraser, servant to the Master of Lovat *G.*
James Skynner, George Pik, William Cumyng, John Cheslme, Dauid Orum, William Dwn, Alan McDonald, Alexr. Arrat, William Wod, Donald Duff, Alexr. Craig and Patrick McKerro *G.*
William Bayne, servant to the Master of Lovat *G.*

1642.

Sept.	7.	James Blackhall, son of the late Alexander B. in Bleridryn	*g.*
	16.	James, Earl of Irwine; James Alexr., son of the late William, Earl of Stirline; Major Patrick Blair, Captain William Murray, George Smith, his lieutenant, John Stewart, Antonio Murray and John Forbes	*G.*
	13.	Alexander Harthill, second son of the late Henry H., merchant, burgess	*g.*
		William Leslie, servant to George Dauidsone, elder, burgess, at request of his master[1]	*G.*
	21.	George Gordone in Strathbogie	*g.*
		Archibald Hog, shoemaker, and John Simson, wright	*t.*
		William Gray, elder son of Gilbert G., burgess	*g.*
		Dauid Tailyeor, tailzeor	*t.*
	24.	Alexander Stewart, eldest son of Alexr. S., burgess, pupil	*g.*
		Mr. George Ray, docter of medicine, eldest son of the late Mr. William R., advocate, burgess	*g.*
		Mr. Alexr. Donaldson, docter of medicine, eldest son of the late Mr. Walter D., LL.D., and Professor of Philosophy in the Academy of Caen, burgess.	
Octr.	19.	John Scot in Fyvie	*g.*
	26.	Patrick Vrrie, shoemaker	*t.*
Novr.	23.	Henry Dempster	*g.*
	30.	John Murray, married to a daughter of a burgess	*g.*

1643.

Feb.	22.	Andrew Dwn, married to eldest daughter of a burgess	*G.*
		John Reid in Abercalie	*g.*
		Sir Francis Gordon, groom of the chamber to the King	*G.*
		Mr. Thomas Gordon in Kettismilne	*j. g.*
		James Gordon, son to John G. of Duichries, and Elias Ritter, servant to Sir Francis Gordon	*G.*
April	5.	William Chessor, tailor	*t.*
		Andrew Dauidson, tailor	*t.*
	26.	John Gordon, son to the late John G. of Tulliequhandie	*G.*
		John Craighead, flesher, only son of the late James C., flesher	*t.*

[1] It is to be rememberit that in pns. of the Counsall the said George Dauidsone promeist to prove thankfull to the toun heireftir for the forsd. courtesie his servant hes resauit at his request, whilk wes not vsuall in the lyik abefoir.

1643.

May 2. George Henderson, second son to Sir John H., general major, governor of New wark, and Charles H., his youngest son, both pupils *G.*
John Forbes, son to John F., baillie of Auld Aberdene, a pupil *g. j.*
Mr. John Lillie, servant to Mr. John Forbes of Corss, at request of his master *G.*
Francis Duighet, apparent of Auchinhooff *G.*
Walter Gordon, eldest son of George G. at the Mill of Crombie, burgess *g.*
Mr. John Crystie, servant to General Major Sir John Henderson *G.*
10. John Allan, shoemaker, servant to John Findlay, shoemaker, burgess *t.*
17. James Reidfoord in Auchterles *g.*
31. Alexander Ross, son of Robert R. in Kincardin *g.*
Sir Alexr. Falconer, fear of Hackartoun, one of the Senators of the College of Justice; Mr. Dauid Falconer of Glen farquhar, Advocat, and one of the Commissioners of Edinburgh; John Fullartoun of Kynaber; Dauid Fermor, servant to Sir Alexr. Falconer; John Gordon, son to John G. of Brako, and George From, servant to Sir Francis Gordon, agent for the King of Britain within the kingdom of Pole *G.*
William Howieson, son of the late Martin H., burgess *g.*
John Calder, younger, simple burgess *j.*
July 5. Andren Horne, armorar, married daughter of a trade burgess, and servant to the late Alexander Paterson, armorar *t.*
12. William Blak, saddler, son of Patrick B., saddler, burgess *t.*
Augt. 9. Alexander Young, second son of Patrick Y., burgess *g.*
Sept. 20. John Rinckin, skinner, servant to the late William Nicolson, craftsman *t.*
Mr. Thomas Nicolson, Advocate before the Supreme Court *G.*
James Chalmer, servant to Mr. Thomas Chalmer, advocate before the Supreme Court *G.*
Thomas Moncur, goldsmith, servant to the late Hugh Anderson, goldsmith, burgess *t.*
John Gray, weaver, servant to Alexander Robertson, weaver, burgess *t.*
Octr. 11. Thomas Cargill, eldest son of the late Thomas C., burgess *g.*
Novr. 8. Robert Constable *g.*
17. Ludovick Gordon, eldest son of Sir Robert G. of Gordon *j.*
16. William Ros, son of the late Patrick R., burgess *g.*
28. Captain John Straqn. *G.*

1643.

Novr. 29. John Alexander, weaver *t.*

Decr. 4. John Donald, servant to Mr. Robert Petrie, writer, Edinburgh *G.*

1644.

Mar. 6. John Nicolsone *g.*

April 5. William Dunnyng, servant to William Rosse, a noble servant of the King *G.*

Alexander Colinsone, fourth son of Thomas C. of Achlownies *j.*

May 16. Thomas Wilsone, eldest son of the late Duncan W., burgess *g.*

22. John Midiltoun, tailor, servant to John Tailzeor, tailor *t.*

28. Archibald, Marquis of Argyle; David, lord of Elcho; Robert, lord of Burghlie; Innes, younger of Innes; Andrew Patersone, ensign to the said Lord Elcho; Sir James Ogilvie of Newgrange; John Auchterlony of Hospitallfield; David Mwir, Charles Campbell, Colin Campbell and James Boige, servants to the Marquis of Argyle; George Jamesone, provost of Cowper; John Auchterlonie, baillie of Aberbrothock; John Blyth, servant to Lord Burghlie; Alexander Douglas, writer, Edinburgh; Harry Gibb, servant to the Earl of Kinghorne; John Denholme, burgess of Edinburgh; David Abercrombie, servant to Marquis of Argyle; James Allardes of Allardes; Pardou de la Songe; Alexr. Campbell, kinsman to the said Marquis; Thomas Chrystie, servant to lord Gordoune: James Scot of Roshie; Thomas Pearsoune of Lochielandis; John Crawfurd, smith to the said Marquis; William Forbes, servant to lord Forbes; Major John Ramsay; Adam Watt, Writer to the Signet; David Skougall, his servant; James Douglas, king's messenger; John Cymer of Braikinshe; William Naper of Herviestoune; Archibald Symsone, servant to James Douglas; John Farquhar, servant to Mr. Robert Farquhar of Mowny; Mr. Thomas Pearsoune, minister at Forfar, and Edward Pretty, servant to the Earl of Kinghorne *G.*

June 3. Mr. Archibald Campbell of , and John Jamesone, his servant *G.*

15. Captain Thomas Gourley of Kincraig, and John Young, his servant *G.*

July 3. John Andersone, eldest son of the late Gilbert A., sailor, burgess *g.*

Patrick Blair *g.*

10. Alexander Hervie, caut. Gilbert H., senior *g.*

James Tailzeor *g.*

18. James Rolland, only son of William R., burgess, a pupil *g.*

1644.

Augt. 23. Arthur Puncte, son of Mr. John P., Professor of Physic *j.*

24. James Ainslie, Doctor of Medicine *G.*

Sept. 23. William Johnstoun, eldest son of George J., younger, burgess *g.*

1645.

Jany. 29. Patrick Smith, tailor, son of Thomas S., tailor *t.*

Feby. 19. William Clerk, fourth son of the late Thomas C., weaver, for services in collection of the small customs *G.*

Mar. 7. Lieutenant General John Innes *G.*

April 15. Sir James Melvill of Bruntiland; Hugh Craig, his servant, and John Gordone, servant to Ludovick Gordoune, apparent of Gordoune *G.*

John Vrrie, General in the expedition to the north of Scotland *j. G.*

John Thomesone, servant to Gilbert Chalmer, at request of John Vrrie.

Thomas Merser, son of Robert M., burgess, a pupil *g.*

June 10. John Leslie, weaver, son of the late Thomas L., weaver, burgess *t.*

11. John Walker, only son of the late Patrick W., burgess, a pupil *g.*

Augt. 20. Normand Davidson, married a daughter of Thomas Gardyne, trade burgess *g.*

Sept. 11. William Duffus, wright *t.*

Patrick Gellie *g.*

Andrew Steven *g.*

Andrew Adam, to James Farquhar, merchant, married daughter of a guild brother *g.*

William Henderson, weaver, married daughter of a craftsman *t.*

John Law, wright, his wife daughter of a burgess *t.*

Alexr. Ledinghame, weaver *t.*

Alexr. Murdo, wright *t.*

24. Mr. David Inglis, son of the late Robert I., merchant, burgess *g.*

Nov. 12. Mr. Robert Innes, apothecary, eldest son of the late Nicolas I., merchant, burgess *g.*

Alexander Nowell, weaver, whose father and uncle, also the former husband of his wife, were killed by the Irishes, 13 September, 1644 *t.*

1646.

Jany. 21. Peter Hill, baker, servant to late John Lumsden, baker *t.*

Gilbert Molysone, eldest, and John M., second son of the late Gilbert M., town clerk of this burgh *g. j.*

Mar. 4. Alexander Black, servant to William, Master of Forbes *G.*

1646.

Mar. 4. John Leith of Quhytehauche *G.*

May 6. James Leslie, tailor, at request of Major Alexander Leslie *G.*

Joseph Mowat, second son of Mr. Roger M. of Drumbreck, Advocate before the lords of Council and Session, and Alexander Gray, fourth son of William G. of Pettindrum, burgess of Edinburgh *j. G.*

George Seaton, brother to William S. of Schethin, and Mr. James Bynning, servant to Mr. Roger Mowat of Drumbreck *G.*

20. Alexr. George, smith, eldest son of Alexander G., senior, smith, burgess *t.*

John Kennie, baker, at request of George Davidson, senior, burgess in respect of the said George's benevolence and mortificationis *t.*

27. Alexander Paterson, armorar, eldest son of Alexander P., armorar, burgess *t.*

June 1. Captain Patrick Blaine; William Leslie, eldest son of Patrick L. in Legattisden; Andrew Farquhar, servant to Mr. Thomas Gray, provost; George Baird, mariner in Leith, and George Leslie, servant to Patrick Leslie, senior, at one time provost *G.*

Patrick Leslie, eldest son of Patrick L., younger, at one time baillie, and Alexr. Mcintosche, eldest son of the late Mcintosche of Auldtirlie, burgess. Patrick Leslie, a pupil *g.*

24. Robert Smith, second son of Robert S., merchant, burgess *g.*

25. James Smith, servant to Mr. Robert Farquhar of Mownie; Walter Innes, servant to George Morreson, baillie; George Kempt, servant to Mr. Patrick Chalmer, town clerk, and William Jonstoun, servant to Mr. Patrick Dun, M.D. *G.*

July 1. John Forbes, weaver, in respect of his marriage with Marjorie Roust, a daughter of William R., weaver, burgess, who on 13 September, 1644, had been slaughtered near the burgh by the Irishes; and because the houses and household goods belonging to the said John had been totally burned when the said burgh was attacked by the Gordons and their abettors in the month of May last past *t.*

Patrick Murray, shoemaker *t.*

Augt. 4. Robert Ker *G.*

Sept. 9. William Boyes, eldest son of George B., skinner, burgess, married a daughter of John Dempster, trade burgess *g.*

Patrick Blair, Lieutenant Colonel; Captain Ker, and Captain George Ogilvie *G.*

Andrew Williamsone, eldest son of Andrew W., weaver, burgess *t.*

1646.

Sept. 9. Ninian Murray, weaver, married daughter of a craftsman *t.*

16. Andrew Cockie, baker, served with Patrick Annand, baker *t.*
Patrick Murray, baker, served with Andrew Kellie, baker *t.*
Thomas Davidson, tailor, married daughter of a craftsman *t.*
Alexander Harrow *g.*

19. Henry Murray, burgess of Banff *g.*
James Hall "dwelling in this burgh," simple burgess.
James Ranny in Aberdeen *g.*
James Etterschank *g.*

Octr. 1. James Gibsone of Montrosse, Advocate before the Lords of Council and Session, and Alexr. Abirnethie, his servant *G.*
James Skein of Skene *g. j.*

7. John Law, wright *t.*
John Ord, servant to William Ord, wright, married widow of a burgess of guild *g*
Robert Thomesone, weaver, at request of Arthur Forbes of Eight. Married daughter of a craftsman *t.*

12. Captain Nathaniel Moncreiff, apparent of Randrestoun; Thomas Abircrombie, son of Hector A. of Fettirneir; Ninian Bonar, servant to Sir James Learmouth of Balcomie, one of the Lords of Council and Session, and Thomas Grant, servant to of Auchtercoull *G.*

21. Mr. Robert Forbes, eldest son of William F., baillie *g. j.*
Robert Petrie, younger, eldest son of William P., dean of guild *g. j.*
Mr. James Park, John Burt, Hugh Murray, John Steinsone, Andrew Cormick, servant to the Earl of Sutherland; Robert Arbuthnot of Findourie; John Douglas, servant to Adam Wat, and James Pedie, baillie of Monross *G.*
John Robertsone, notary public, servant to Mr. Patrick Chalmer, town clerk *G.*

Novr. 2. Lt. Colonell Andro Leslie, Captain Wm. Galbreath, Lev. Harie Andersone, Charles Allan, Jon Downy, James Shreffland, Wm. Wat, Jon Maxvell, sone to Sir James Maxvell, Andro Mirreluo, Rot Thomsone, Captaine James Twedie, Mathew Lin, Mr. James Oliphant, generall qrt. Mr. *G.*

23. Gilbert Paip, eldest son of Mr. Gilbert P., burgess *g.*
Robert Petcarne, burgess of Perth *G.*

Decr. 18. John Midletoun, barber, at request of General John Midletoun *t.*

1647.

Feby. 20. Leivtennent Coll. William Hunter, Capitane Duncan Meinzies of Laires regiment; Harie Gune, son to William G. of Brega; William Hydmoir, servant to Coll. Harie Barclay; Alexander Marno, servant to the said collonell; Francis Friar, servant to Levt. Coll. Hunter; Capitane Alexr. Campbell of Aidgyes regiment *G.*

Mar. 3. Thomas Moir, cooper, served with John Malis, burgess *t.*

31. Alexr. Kempt, tailor, eldest son of Patrick K., tailor *t. j.*

Patrick Titler, cooper, served with Alexr. Cruikshank, cooper *t.*

Lieuetennent Collonell James Menzeis, Major James Stewart, Captaine Ninian Stewart, Capitaine Patrick Cambell, Capitaine John Denistoun, Leivetennent Duncane Cambell, Lievetennent John Stewart, ancient Donald Campbell, Serjand Archibald Cambell, Andro Angstoun, chirurgion, Serjand Daniell Mackenzie *G.*

George Nune, cordoner *t.*

April 7. George Moresone, eldest son of John M., burgess *g. j.*

26. Lieutennent Collonell John Hoorne; Maior Mr. James Innes, sone to William I. of Sandsyde; Capitaine Robert Dowglas; Master Hew Kennedy, minister at Calder; Capitaine Robert Middelton, Quarter Master John Cunninghame, Capitaine Alexr. Dicksone, Daniell Innes, John Scott, ancient Francis Tredcroft *G.*

May 3. Generall Major Middeltoun, Major David Barclay, Mr. Alexr. Forbes, Root Mr.; Capitaine Thomas Hendersone, Capitaine George Gordone, Capitaine William Erskin, Capitaine Patrick Grant, Robert Barclay, Robert Neill, secretar to Generall Major Middiltoune; Wm. Ougstoun, eldest son to Doctor Wm. Ougstoun *j.*; William Middiltoune, John Mitchell, servands to Generall Middelton; Wm. Falconer, ancient; John Leslie, eldest son to Alexr. L. of Tullose, *j.*; Major George Forbes *G.*

12. Alexr. Cokie, tailzeor *t.*

22. Jean de Montreill, one of the Senators of Louis [XIV], King of France and Navarre, and residing in Scotland for conducting negotiations for his king.

Alexander Fraser, at request of Jean de Montreill, married a daughter of burgess of guild *G.*

Capitaine Patrick Leith, Cap. John Heres, Leivetennent James Stewart, Michaell Fraser *G.*

1647.

May 24. Mr. Wm. Greig, minister at Balmerano; Mr. John Moncreiff, minister at Kingorne; David Weymes of Fingask; Mr. Robert Dowglas, minister at Edr.; Mr. Alexr. Colvill of Blair, Justice Generall Deputt to his Ma.; George Dundas of Duddestoun; Mr. James Guthrie, minister at Lawder; Mr. Patrick Gillespie, minister at Kircaldie; Mr. James Simsone, minister at Sprewstoun; Mr. John Menzeis, minister at Aberdein, *j.*; Mr. Robert Dagleish, sollicitor for the kirke; Mr. Andro Kar; Mr. Patrick Collvill, minister at Beith; Mr. Robert Traill, minister at Ellie; Mr. Robert Kar, minister at Haddingtoun; Mr. John Smith, minister at Bruntiland, and Mr. William Dagleish, minister at Cramond[1] *G.*

26. William Couper, son of Alexander C., burgess *g.*

John Gordone, shoemaker, served with the late James Ranny *t.*

George Adam, weaver, served with James Maleis, and married daughter of a craftsman *t.*

Alexander Milve, weaver, married wife of a craftsman killed by the Irish, 13 September, 1644 *t.*

Alexander Tailzeour, weaver[2] *t.*

Decr. 8. James Grahame, dwelling in Leth, for good service done to the burgh of Abd. *G.*

George Leslie, servant to Patrick Leslie, provost, for good and faithful service during the time of the pestilence *G.*

22. Jon Moir, smith in Clintertie, to the hammerman craft, in respect of the few number of craftismen within this burghe, speciallie of the lorimers and that sindrie of the said trade ar dead of the plague of pestilence *G.*

Robert Wilsone, pewterer, eldest son of the late Alexr. W., pewterer, burgess *t.*

William Blak, saddler, served with Patrick Blak, saddler *t.*

29. Alexr. Moir, baker, served with the late Robert Forbes *t.*

Andrew Thomsone, weaver *t.*

1648.

Jany. 12. Alexr. Watt *g.*

Alexr. Troupt, saidler, and Wm. Gray, wobster, in respect of the service done within this burghe the tyme of the lait visitation *t.*

[1] Commissioners to the General Assembly.

[2] It is heir to be remembrit that ther wes no burgesses admitit in June, July, August, Sepr., Octr., November till the aucht of Decr., in respect of the plague of pestilence that wes within this burghe.

1648.

Jany.	12.	John Findlay, shoemaker, eldest son of John F., shoemaker	*t. j.*
		Gilbert Arthur, weaver, who married the widow of a trade burgess	*t.*
		John Tarves, weaver, served with the late David Nicolson, weaver	*t.*
		William Thomsone, cooper, served with the late James Straqn.	*t.*
	20.	William Scrimgeor, cooper, served with the late George Meslet	*t.*
		Gavin Milne, married only daughter of Edward Raban, printer	*g.*
		Hew Kennedy, simple burgess, for service done within this burgh in tyme of the visitation	*G.*
	26.	John Smith	*g.*
		Patrick Makie	*g.*
		James Watsone, served with Adam Watsone, merchant	*g.*
		Andro Baverlay, simple burgess.	
		Alexr. Kellie, baker, eldest son of John K., baker	*t. j.*
		Jon Cruikshank, heill maker in the old town, in respect of the few number of craftismen of this trad	*t.*
Feby.	2.	Henry Pantoun	*g.*
		William Sangster, weaver, son of William S, weaver	*t. j.*
		Robert Still, wobster, in respect of service done the tyme of the last visitation	*t.*
		Edward Hay, simple burgess.	
	9.	Alexr. Farqr., served with James Anderson, merchant	*g.*
		James Andersone, weaver	*t.*
		Alexr. Moir, smith, and James Ergo, smith, in respect of the few number of craftismen, speciallie of the lorimers, and that sindrie of the trad ar dead of the plague of pestilence	*t.*
		Alexr. Richie in Abercalie	*g.*
		Alexr. Aberdein, weaver, married daughter of a craftsman	*t.*
		George Low, shoemaker, eldest son of late John L., shoemaker	*t. j.*
	16.	John Ross	*g.*
		Thomas Grant, glover	*t.*
	23.	Alexr. Beg	*g.*
		George Pyper	*g.*
		John Leslie, second son of Patrick L., provost	*g. j.*
		Walter Menzeis	*t.*
		Andrew Narne	*t.*
		George Smith, tailor	*t.*
		Thomas Leslie, weaver, son of John L., weaver	*t. j.*
		James Horne, for good service within the burgh	*g.*

1648.

Feby. 23. Robert Gellan and Andro Kempt, fleshers, in respect of services during the plague *t.*

Mar. 1. Adam Gordon *g.*

William Yair, wobster, at request of James Graham *t.*

8. John Strachin, wobster, composition modified in respect of his good services done the tyme of the infectione *t.*

15. John Petrie *t.*

22. Johne Thomsone, eldest sone to vmqll. Wm. T. *t.*

James Couttis, simple burgess.

29. Thomas Ritchie, weaver *t.*

April 5. George Moir, dyer *t.*

Robert Laurie, married daughter of a burgess *g.*

Malcome Wilson, cutler *t.*

William Cowper, weaver *t.*

Gilbert Thomson *g.*

12. Robert Moir, dyer *t.*

13. Jhone Bisset, smith, in respect of the few number of craftsmen *t.*

26. Johne Chalmer, gluisser *t.*

May 2. John Dowgall, younger, dwelling in Paris *G.*

10. Alexr. Watsone, eldest son of the late George W. in Turreff, at request of the late Sir Thomas Crombie of Kemnay *g.*

William Bisset, son of the late Andrew B. in Auchirtin *g.*

24. Andro Muir, cutler in Kilmarnok, in respect of the few number of the said trade *t.*

Johne Boyd, boot hois maker, for same reason *t.*

31. John Watt *g.*

June 7. John Edmonstoune, married daughter of a burgess *g.*

Thomas Mitchell, tailor *t.*

Thomas Ramsay, gunner, with provisione he marie Christane Patersone, dochter to vmqll. Jhone P., burgess *t.*

William Gray, saddler, second son of late William G., saddler *t. j.*

Thomas Wyllie, wobster, in respect of the paucitie of craftismen of that trad within this burt. *t.*

14. Robert Garvie, wobster, in respect of the few number of craftsmen, and because he served in the town's service towards England, and was preinteiss to the late David Nicolsone *t.*

Andrew Croyll, weaver *t.*

21. William Gordon, Craigcollie, married daughter of a burgess *g.*

1648.

June 21. John Dumbreck *g.*

Augt. 9. James Wiliamsone, tinclar *t.*

June 13. Collonell Harie Mauld, Captane Francis Panten, Leutennant Andro Wood *G.*

Sept. 13. James Chrystie, tailor, eldest son of James C., tailor *t.*

Augt. 25. Mr. Henry Morisone, son of the late Henry M., at one time baillie of Edinburgh *j. G.*

Sept. 13. Patrik Gray, wricht, in respect of the few number of the said trade—served with late William Gray, wricht, and married a burges dochter *t.*

Wiliam Smolt, wobster, in respect he was ane of the townes poore pensioners *t.*

William Kinneir *g.*

15. John Robsone, merchant in Reine, at request of Robert Buchan of Portlethin, married daughter of a burgess *g.*

20. Alexr. Breik, litster, in full contentatioun of his service in the societie house the tyme of the infectioun *t.*

David Gregorie, son to Mr. John G., minister at Dilmaig, and prentice to Jon Donaldsone, pnt. thesaurar, at request of Jon Donaldsone, who hes done werie good service to the toune in his office of thesaurie this yeir bygane, and sicklyk in respect of the manie favors and courtisies conferrit vpon the toune be Mr. Jon G. his father, and Jean Guild his guidam *g.*

Thomas Reniken, skinner *t.*

Alexr. Hutcheon, weaver *t.*

Donald Keiring, tailor *t.*

William Gordone, tailor *t.*

Decr. 6. Thomas Selvie, simple burgess, at request of James Grahame, burgess *G.*

13. Thomas Blinshell, weaver, eldest son of John B., weaver *t. j.*

George Leask, tailzeor, in respect he had married a craftsman's daughter, and his long service within this toun *t. G.*

20. Alexr. Cruikshank, son of the late John C., burgess *g.*

George Meldrum, son of the late George M., burgess *g.*

27. Andro Charles in Straylay, simple burgess.

Alexr. Harper, son of Andrew H., burgess *g.*

1649.

Jany. 3. William Thomsone, son of the late Thomas T., burgess *g.*

George Hutcheon *g.*

1649.

Jany.	10.	Patrick Andersone	*g.*
		George Thomsone, son of the late Thomas T., burgess	*g.*
		James Ewan, son of the late James E., burgess	*g.*
	13.	Robert Ray, son of the late Robert R., burgess	*g.*
	17.	John Mill in Auchredy	*g.*
	24.	Jon Sangster, in respect he had married a daughter of a guild burgess, and was prentice to vmqll. Mr. Alexr. Jaffray, late provost	*g.*
		Thomas Merser, son of the late Mr. Thomas M., burgess	*g.*
Feby.	7.	Archibald Cullen, tailzeor and drumer of this burghe	*t.*
		David Richie, cooper, apprentice to John Richie, cooper	*t.*
		John Peirie, cooper, apprentice to John Makie, cooper	*t.*
		William Andersone, cooper, son of the late Wm. A., cooper	*t. j.*
		Alexr. Reid in Auchredy	*g.*
Mar.	28.	James Dour, tailor	*t.*
April.	4.	James Burnet, married daughter of a guild burgess	*g.*
May	3.	Mr. John Gregorie	*G.*
	30.	Hew Mcgie, apothecar, in respect of the few number of his trade within this burt.	*G.*
		James Wentoun, weaver	*t.*
June	13.	John Simsone	*g.*
		George Mill, simple burgess.	
	20.	George Sibbald, dyer, married daughter of a burgess	*t.*
July	18.	John Jamiesone	*g.*
	25.	James Dalgarno, apprentice to Arther Dalgarno, burgess	*g.*
Augt.	22.	James Innes, dyer	*t.*
		Robert Sangster, weaver, apprentice to Charles Sangster, weaver	*t.*
		Robert Vany, cooper, son of the late V., burgess	*t.*
Sept.	5.	Mr. Alexr. Forbes[1]	*g.*
	25.	James Smith, younger son of James S., burgess	*g.*
Octr.	10.	Walter Melvill, goldsmith, eldest son of Thomas M., burgess	*t.*
	17.	John Guidaill, shoemaker	*t.*
	31.	John Hendrie, shoemaker, son of John H., shoemaker	*t. j.*
Novr.	14.	William Saidler	*g.*
	21.	Gilbert Black, dyer, married daughter of a guild burgess	*t.*
		Alexr. Mackie, shoemaker	*t.*
	28.	James Will	*g.*
		Johne Hoy, wyver, in respect of good service done the tyme of the lait visitation	*t.*

[1] Leaf is torn and one or two entries are missing.

1649.

Decr. 5. Richard Mackmorran *g.*
Alexander Miln, shoemaker *t.*
James Cruikshank, weaver *t.*
John Skeyne *g.*
George Angus *g.*

26. Edward Wilsone, webster, for good service done be him and Patrick W., his father, the tyme of the lait visitatioune *t.*

1650.

Jany. 2. John Lamb, weaver *t.*
Alexr. Donald, weaver *t.*

16. Patrick Straqn., servant to George Ross, burgess, married daughter of a burgess of guild *g.*

Feby. 13. Thomas Milne, machinemaker, eldest son of Thomas M., machinemaker *t. j.*

Mar. 6. William Cruikshank, armorar *t.*

April 10. Alexander Forsyth, cooper, apprenticed to late James Straqn., cooper, and married to a daughter of Thomas Mayne, tailor *t.*

May 15. Gilbert Dovie, son of the late Patrick D., burgess *g.*

June 19. Alexr. Straqn., merchant *g.*

28. George, Duke of Buckinghame; Johne, erl of Cassillis; William, earl of Lothian; Thomas, earle of Cleveland; Johne, vicount of Grandisom; William, Lord Wehringtoune; James, Lord Mauchline; Arthor Erskyne of Scotiscraige; Alexander Brodie; Sir George Wynram of Libertoun, knicht; Sir Johne Smith of Grotall, knicht; Sir Alexr. Gibsone of Durie, knicht; Thomas, Lord Wentworth; Hendrie, Lord Wolmott; Sir Philip Musgrave *G.*

Hew Smith, cupbearer to the kingis maje.; Mr. James Durumpill, Edvard Progeris, Richard Law, Thomas Windoune, Richard Hardin, Thomas Chisenis, Thomas Pitkarne, Thomas Edgar, his mae. tailzior, Peter Massonet, Wm. Persone, Mr. Johne Livingstoune, minister at Antrame, Maister Wodvart, Sir Edvard Walker, Mr. Johne Smith, Mr. Johne Chaser, Mr. Arthor Eresot, Mr. Edvard Barham, Mr. Richard Bret, Mr. Thomas Winzet, Mr. Rodie, Mr. Catret, James Daik, Allaster Murray, Johne Herone, Wm. Murray, Thomas Bennet, Peter Neve, Richard Lyll Grave, Archibald Fullertoun, Alexr. Hill, Richard Inglis, Johne Forbes, Mr. Ungrave, Mr. Wm. Mackray, Mr. Wm. God, Hendrie Branket, Mr. Branket, Mr. Wm. Goir, Collonell Mathew Beyntoun, Collonell Elschae Lightoun, his Mae. attendaris and servitors[1] *G.*

[1] Those admitted on this date were accompanying Charles II. on his journey south after his landing at Speymouth.

1650.

June 30. Generall Major Edvard Massie, Capitane Thomas Titus, Maister Bunsch, citiner in London, Major Edvard Wood and Maister George Hutchesone, minister at Edr. *G.*

July 2. John Rhind, servant to George Morisone, baillie, at request of Baillie Morisone, and for the service of the latter to the burgh by lodging the King in his house *g.*

Augt. 21. James Lorimer, merchant *g.*

Edmond Mackgie, servant to Mr. Wm. Davidsone of Carny, at request of Mr. Wm. Davidsone *g.*

Sept. 12. William Smith, second son of James S., elder, burgess *g.*

18. Alexr. Forbes, second son of the late George F. of Craigi, burgess, apprenticed to John Donaldsone, elder *g.*

John Gray, saddler, second son of William Gray, saddler *t.*

Octr. 9. Thomas Gordon, eldest son of Thomas G., burgess *g.*

John Ettershank, cooper *t.*

Novr. 27. Alexander Scot, servant to Gilbert Chalmer, elder, burgess, at request of Chalmers *g.*

1651.

Jany. 15. John Super, merchant *g.*

18. John Collinsone, third son of the late Thomas C., of Auchlunies, burgess *g.*

Mar. 26. Robert Burnet, merchant *g.*

John Scrogie, tailor *t.*

April 2. John Jamesone, younger *g.*

9. George Gordone *g.*

July 2. William Crystie, goldsmith *t.*

Octr. 15. William Riccard, second son of David R., burgess *g.*

1652.

Jany. 21. Capitane John Gillespie *G.*

28. John Thomsoune, sometime servant and prentice to Patrick Moir, bailly and collector of the excyse, for his service in the collection of the excyse, and in respect of having a year yet to run of his indenture he undertook to serve the toun in any public service, all as contained in Act of Council, 18 Sept., 1650 *g.*

April 7. George Adam, merchant *g.*

May 5. George Abernethie, merchant, married daughter of a burgess of guild *g.*

19. Robert Ray, merchant *g.*

Thomas Clerk, tailyeor *t.*

1652.

May 26. William Archibald, merchant, married daughter of a burgess *g.*

June 16. William Patrie, glover *t.*

23. Alexander Charles, wricht, eldest son of vmqll William C., wricht, burgess *t. G.*

Alexander Thomsone, couper *t.*

July 14. William Marr, merchant *g.*

28. William Neilsone of Artrochie *G.*

Augt. 5. James Mowatt, merchant in Paris *G.*

11. Robert Innes, glover *t.*

10. William Gray, merchant, having married Helene, eldest daughter of vmqll Alexander Mideltone, burgess, "quha wes mercielesly killit be the Irishes in the tounes service in anno 1644" *g.*

Sept. 1. Alexander Smith, tailyeor, son to William S., tailyeor *t.*

8. Collonell George Fenvick, esquyr, Judge George Smith, Judge Andro Even, Judge Edvard Mosley, Samuell Desburrow, Hend. Whally, Let. Collonell William Mitchell, William Duvant, minister; James Midfoord, secretar to Coll. George Fenvick; Mr. Alexander Hamiltone, Justice clerk; Mr. John Rutherfurd, Capitane James , Sir Patrick Falconer, Capitane David Buchan, Richard Clunsone, writer in Edr.; Daniell Hayter, David Schivell, servitor to Collonell George Fenvick; Patrick Sinclar, servant to Hendrie Whally; Daniell Love, servant to Judge Andro Even; John Mckenzie, servant to Mr. Alexr. Hamiltone; Rapr. Egertone, servant to Edvard Mosley; Thomas Eisot, servant to Judge George Smith; George Boyne, servant to Alexr. Jaffray, lait provest of Abd.; James Adam and William Andersone, servantis to Sir Robert Farqr of Mowny, lait provest of the saide Burghe; William Stewart, servant to Sir Patrick Lesly of Whithall, knight, and Patrick Cruikschank, servant to Mr. Alexander Davidsone, advocat in Abd.[1] *G.*

15. Thomas Adam, cordoner in Auld Abd. *t.*

Alexander Walker, only laull. sone to John W., burgess *g.*

Octr. 20. Adam Smith, wobster *t.*

Decr. 1. Alexander Burnet, merchand in Abd. *g.*

Thomas Orum, cordoner in Auld Abd. *t.*

[1] The obligation taken on this occasion was that they "promeist to be faithfull to the comoun wealth of England as it is pntly. establishit without king or hous of Lordis and to manteine and defend the liberty." The above persons had entered with the English army on the previous day.

1652.

Decr. 15. John Gordoun, secund laull. sone to vmqll. John G., burgess *g.*
22. Patrick Walker, tailzeor *t.*

1653.

Jany. 5. James Crystie, tailzeor *t.*
16. Andro Still, merchant *g.*
James Ray, merchand *g.*
April 13. Alexander Bruce, eldest laull. sone to vmqll. George B., burgess *g.*
May 4. Alexander Innes, baxter, servant and prentice to Patrick Murray, baxter *t.*

1654.

Sept. 13. William Gray, servant to Mr. Thomas Gray, lait prowest of Abd.—"his predicessors wer burgesses of gild of the said brughe and haid done service in the toune" *g.*
20. Robert Clerk, eldest laufull sone to James C., weaver, burgess *t.*
William Mayne, eldest laufull sone to Thomas M., barber, burgess *t.*
Octr. 25. James Leslie, secund laull sone to the deceist John L., lait baillie of this brughe *g.*
James Gray, sone to Master Andro G., minister at Coull[1] *g.*
1. Patrick Fergussoun, servant to Robert Smith, elder, burgess of Abd., fee modified "becaus he was prenteis to the said Robert Smith and cousing to the deceist Laird of Kemnay who haid bene werie beneficiall to the toune of Abd." *g.*
Novr. 29. Thomas Smith, servant to Patrick Shirres, cordoner, burgess *t.*
Decr. 6. Alexander Garioch, eldest sone to the deceast Alexander G., flesher, burgess *t.*
20. Walter Shirron, merchand, burgess of Bamff *g.*

1655.

Jany. 10. Alexander Tellie, shoemaker, in Old Abd., married a daughter of Robert Mill, cordoner, burgess *t.*
17. Johne Lumsdane, sone to the deceast Hendrie L. at the brige of done, prentice to Alexr. Harthill *g.*
24. Richard Mar, sone to James M. in Methlick *g.*
Feby. 21. Viduas Kellie, onlie sone to the deceast Alexander K., merchand, burgess *g.*
April 4. Alexander Burnet, barber chirurgin, sone to Alexander B., merchand, burgess of Elgine, at the earnest desyr of Master Robert Burnet, advocat *t.*

[1] From this date onwards, as a rule, the entries are signed by the burgess and his cautioner.

1655.

April 8. Robert Ross, barbor chirurgin, sone to the deceast Robert R., induellar in Abd. *t.*

May 2. Alexander Blair, sone to the deceast Johne B., burgess[1] *g.*

5. Doctor William Moir, doctor of medicin, sone to Master Wm. M., prinll. of the new colledg of Abd. *g. j.*

21. Capitane John Vinkart, captain of the ship Zealand of Compheir *G.*
Thomas Parsons, major of Colonell Pryd, his regiment, and Capitane Richard Moss of the sd. regiment *G.*

30. James Skeyne, sone to the deceast Robert S., glasier *g.*

June 6. Thomas Adam, cordoner *t.*

13. George Bissett, litster, son to deceast Alexander B. in — burges *t.*
Alexander Collie, shoemaker in Aberdein *t.*

27. Robert Murray, weaver *t.*

July 4. Johne Deanes, wyver *t.*
Hercules Guthrie, son to the deceast Hercules G., chirurgine, burgess *g.*

11. William Gib, servant and prentes sumtyme to Thomas Dauidson, tailzeor *t.*

18. George Gordoun, secund son to the deceast William G., burgess, and Marjorie Meassoun, his spouse *g. j.*

Augt. 1. Robert Law, merchant *g.*
Andro Donald, laxfisher *g.*
Johne Cobbane, merchand *g.*
Ritchoir Raven, Inglishman *g.*
Johne Moir, dry walker, simple burgess.
Hendrie Johnestoune, indwellar in this burt., simple burgess.
James Scott, stabler, simple burgess.
Andro Logie, sauster in the brugh, simple burgess.
Johne Riccard, laxfisher *g.*
Alexander Watsoun in Abd., simple burgess.

1653.

May 2. Robert Scrogie, merchand in Abd., prenteis to John Smith, burgess[2] *g.*

8. Alexander Black, saidler, servant and prenteis to umqll. Patrick Black, saidler, burgess *t.*

25. William Bisset, merchand in Fraserbrughe *g.*

[1] This admission was rendered null by Blair refusing to take the oath in which he promises to give up his trade qualification on entering the guild.

[2] The entries from this date on pages 237-252 of the Register seem to have been inserted into the volume after August, 1655.

1653.

May 25. John Vrquhart, servant to Mr. John Alexander, advocat in Edr. *G.*

June 8. David Hutcheon, wobster, eldest son to Alexander H., wobster, burgess *t.*

William Jaffray, only son to deceast Andro J., sumetyme merchant burgess of Abd. *g.*

Wm. Allardes, merchand *g.*

22. Charles Angous, mairiner *g.*

John Brabner, eldest son of deceast Ard. B., corroner in Abd. *t.*

James Gordoun, merchand in Abd. *g.*

Robert Baxter, maltman, simple burgess.

Augt. 10. George Mill, son to John M. at the mills of Drum *g.*

31. Andro Troup, merchand in Abd. *g.*

James Adam, simple burgess.

Sept. 7. Nathaniell Black, brother to William B., saidler *t.*

Robert Law, wright *t.*

21. William Geamell, cutler *t.*

Octr. 5. Andro Syme, son to deceast Alexander S. at the mill of Fintray, married Elspet Mill, eldest daughter of deceast Robert M., burgess *g.*

12. George Clerk, third son to deceast Thomas C., weaver *g.*

William Forbes, son to David F., burgess *g.*

19. Andro Cranstoun, chirurgin, married a burgess daughter *t.*

Decr. 14. John Thomson, sumetyme porter of Mershell Colledge *g.*

1654.

Jany. 4. John Donaldsoun, third son to deceast D., burgess *g.*

11. William Robertsoun, second son to deceast Mathew R., burgess *g.*

17. Paull Alexander, fifth son to deceast Robert A., burgess *g.*

Thomas Mitchell, eldest son to deceast Alexr. M., burgess *g.*

Feby. 1. John Moir, eldest son to deceast Mr. John M., burgess *g.*

Mar. 8. Mr. John Campbell, Shereff clerk of Abd., married eldest daughter of Mr. William Moir, prinll. of the New College of Abd. *G.*

John Sandelands, comisser clerk deputt of Abd., third sone to deceast Mr. James S., Comisser of Abd., married eldest daughter of a burgess *G.*

20. Robert Alexander, third son, and William Alexander, fourth son to Alexander A., younger, burgess *g.*

21. Mr. James Reid, eldest son to deceast Mr. Alexander R., burgess *g.*

James Swane, shereff clerk deput of Abd. *G.*

May 17. Alexander Still, tailyeor, married a craftsman's daughter *t.*

1654.

May 31. Normand Leslie, eldest son to George L., elder, burgess *g.*

June 15. William Chopman, agent in Edinbrut. *G.*

July 19. Johne Walcar, weaver, servant and prenteis to James Malice, weaver, married ane frieman's wyff and had ane burden of hir bairnes *t.*

Johne Adam, weaver *t.*

Johne Norie, tailyeor, brother to Patrick N., tailzeor, married a burgess daughter *t.*

26. George Lindsay, merchant *g.*

Augt. 9. William Youngsoun, servant to Patrick Moir, bailly of Abd. *g.*

16. Andro Cragheed, flesher *t.*

Sept. 6. Johne Lindsay, only son to Mr. David L., minister at Belhelvie *g.*

Alexander Gairdyne, weaver, prenteis to Johne Leslie, weaver *t.*

8. Alexander Andersone, son to William A., elder, burgess, and servant to Mr. Wm. Davidsone of Carny, in respect of Davidson's good offices in the toun, and that William A. was a simple burgess *g.*

1655.

Augt. 8. Johne Mutray, simple burgess.

15. George Wilsoun, eldest son to deceast George W., merchand, burgess *g.*

Gilbert Straquhan, stabler, simple burgess.

23. Johne Ronald, indwellar in Abd., simple burgess.

Sept. 5. William Glenny, wright, servant to John Ritchie, couper *t.*

12. Paull Stoker, Inglishman, at request of Major Generall Morgane, and becaus he had married ane burgess daughter *g.*

George Cramond, sclaitter, simple burgess.

19. Robert Stewine, laxfisher, simple burgess.

Johne Ker, shoemaker *t.*

William Smith, eldest son to William S., tailyeor *t.*

22. Master Johne Hay, clerk to the register of seasines at Aberdein, and Alexander Forbes, advocat there *G.*

Octr. 1. Williame Lowrence, esquyr, ane of the honrll. Judges for administratione of Justice to the people in Scotland *G.*

Mr. Robert Pittullo, Solicitor Ginerall for the Stait *G.*

1655.

Octr. 1. Johne Hill, Secretarie to Major Generall Morgane; Robert Barrenger, serjand at arms to the honrll. Court of Justice at Edr.; Hendrie Quiet, measer ther; Johne Cambell, measer; Lews Alder, servant to Judge Mosley; Matthias Pitts, servant to Judge Lowrance; Williame Dobie, servant to the said Judge Mosley: Joseph Ramsbottome; Philip Silvester, servant to Colonell Williame Mitchell; Alexr. Reid, servant to Mr. Johne Fletcher, advocat; Johne Ballantine and Mr. Roderik Mackenzie, writers in Edinburt.; Johne Hamiltone, sone to the laird of Bogis; William Melvill, servant to Master Robert Pittullo, Judge Advocat; Alex. Lumsdane, sone naturall to Alexander Lumsdane, lait baillie of Abd. *G.*

David Leitch, sone to Master David Leitch, somtyme minister at Kemnay *G.*

Williame Riauch, ane of the serjands of the sd. burt., for good service done be him *G.*

Novr. 1. Capitane Robert Scrap, Capitane Edvard Frier, Capitane Edvard Wmsoun, Capitane John Huttoun, Capitane Thomas Quick, Ralp Barnet, Levtennent Ensigne Elias Couper, quarter Mr. Robt. Sanders, Barnard Mckenzie, at the desyr of Colonell Stevin Winthrop *G.*

21. Alexander Moir, servant to Alexander Moir, hamerman, burges of Abd. *t.*

Decr. 6. Thomas Mill, sone to Robert M., cordoner *t.*

14. William Steuinsone, only sone to Johne S., burges *g.*

19. Robert Best, only sone to deceist Thomas B., cordoner *t.*

26. Thomas Kay, servant to Alexr. Moir, baiker *t.*

George Rankine, glover *t.*

Thomas Paip, sone to deceast Thomas P., burges *g.*

1656.

Jany. 1. William Cochrane, second sone to Walter C., lait baillie *g. j.*

May 8. Master James Ritchie, keeper of the generall register of seasines, for his many courtesies done to the burghe *G.*

William Seatoun, servant to Mr. James Ritchie *G.*

19. Williame Purvie of Abbayhill, dictator of the rolls of Excheqr, for his many courtesies to the burghe *G.*

Andro Simsone, Mr. William Kintor and Thomas Jack, servants to William Purvis *G.*

1656.

May 21. Thomas Nicoll, cutler *t.*
George Johnstone in Old Dear *g.*
28. James Fergussoun, servant to Master Thomas Gray, provest of Abd., simple burgess, at desyr of the provost *G.*

June 4. Johne Jack, weaver *t.*
William Robertsone, cordoner, sone to James R. in Powcreik, burges *t.*
Leonard Peuque, capitan of the ship Zealand of Tarbees. *G.*
8. Thomas Tucker and James Lincoln, esqurs., for their many courtesies to the burghe *G.*
Gerrard Byrne, servant to the sd. Thomas Tucker *G.*
26. Capitane Edvard Wmsoun, William Ritchardsoun, secret. to Major Generall Morgan, and Thomas Greating, servant to the said Major Generall *G.*

July 2. Alexander Gordoun, sone to Johne G. in Straemoir, burges, married daughter of a burgess *g.*
9. George Gledstone, pewterer *t.*
23. Alexr. Gray, webster *t.*
Johne Braines, shoemacker *t.*
30. Alexander Burnet, son to Thomas B. of Camphell, prenteis to William Leslie, elder, burgess *g.*

Augt. 7. Capitane Johne Mitchell, married a daughter of a burgess, and for his good cariage and behavior *g.*
13. Alexr. Sutor, weaver *t.*
Alexr. Braines, flesher *t.*
19. Johne Farqr., Johne Stabler, James Tennent and Johne Short, servants to Judge Smith; Williame Dobie, servant to Judge Mosley; Thomas Bartholomew and James Wallace, trumpters to Major Generall Morgane *G.*

Sept. 17. Alexander Andersoun, merchant *g.*
Robert Hardie, servant to Alexr. Robertsoun, deane of gild *g.*

Octr. 4. Collonell Ralp Cobbett, Capitane Johne Valor, Capitane Williame Barringtoun, Capitane Johne Blokwell, Capitane Mathew Marvell, Capitane Williame Bredhurst, Cornet Thomas Chopman, Quarter Mr. Loyd, William Weyks, chirurgine; Rodger Napkin, chirurgine; Quarter Mr. Johne Quhallie, Thomas Powell, secretarie to colonell Cobbet; Ensigne Richard Brandess, George Powell, servant to Colonell Cobbet; Nathaniel Hucheons, servant to Capitane Bredhurst *G.*

1656.

Octr. 4. Mr. Johne Menzes, professor of Divinitie in Abd., eldest lawful sone to the deceast Gilbt. M., burges *g. j.*

1657.

Jany. 1. Adam Muschett, merchant in Edinburgh *G.*

7. Robert Greig, litster, sone to Greig at the Mill of Fiddes *t.*

8. Capitane Izods and Mr. John Wells, minister of the Gospell at St. Ives in England *G.*

Feby. 25. William George, secund sone to deceast Alexr. G., smith, burges *t.*

Andro Wyllie, brother to Thomas W., weaver, married daughter of a frieman *t.*

Mar. 4. Annabell Barnet, relict of Adam Fairlie, sailer.[1]

John Chapman, merchant *g.*

11. James Sym, sone to James S., tailzeor, burges *t.*

Benjamen Parsons, Inglish merchant *g.*

13. James Lentron, provest of St. Andrews, and Andrew Carstairs, baillie of the samen burt. *G.*

18. William Slow, burgess for the following effect only: "to brew and vent aill, bear, and strong water—baiking of bread for the use of the regiment and sojors and bringing hom of chees and buter from forran parts."

William Wricht, Inglish merchant, married daughter of a burges of gild *g.*

25. George Abercrombie, laxfisher—"to brew and sell bear, aill, and aquavite."

Pitter Blackburne, mariner in Abd. *g.*

Andrew Walker, servant to George Cullen, provest of Abd, simple burgess.

April 1. Magnus Duthie, fermorer in Abd.—"to brew and vent aill, bear, and waters."

William Law, stabler—to brew, &c.

8. Andrew Fouller, stabler, indwellar—to brew, &c.

Gilbert Deans, meassoun, do.

Capitane Robsoun *G.*

23. William Scharp, clerk to the admissioun of notars *G.*

[1] Annabell is described as an old woman, and one who had lived since infancy in the burgh. The liberty granted her was "to brew and sell aill or bear or any other liquor shoe culd conventlie composs within this burt."

1657.

April 25. James, Earll of Buchan, Lord Auchterhous and Glendowachie; Alexander, Lord Forbes of Petsligo; William Young, chamerlane to the said Erll; William Forbes, servant to the said Lord of Petsligo *G.*

30. Alexander Moor, hookmaker and claspmacker in Montrose, "imploying and exerciseing himself in macking of hooks, clasps, and anie other workmanship of that nature." *t.*

May 28. John Keith, tinclar burges of Sant Andrews. [1]

June 3. Francis Browne, sone to deceast Mr. William B., minister at Invernochtie, married daughter of a burgess *g.*

Andrew Sim, servant to John Mellis, couper, burges *t.*

15. Levtennent Colonell John Cottrill [2] *G.*

16. Thomas Mershell, yor., sone to Thomas M., burges *g.*

18. Michaell Craik, one of the waiters of His Highnes Counsell in Scotland, for "good offices done and performit by the said Michael in relation to the sd. burgh" [3] *G.*

24. Patrik Hendersoun, weaver, servant to William Smoult, weaver *t.*

Robert Donaldsoun, second sone to deceast James D., burges *g.*

July 9. Capitane Richard Hatt, Capitan Humphray Massoun, Capitane Thomas Thomsoun, Levt. Anthony Tailzeor, Levt. John Sydrick, in Capitan Mervells company; Ritchard Ritchbald, Levt. in Captane Blackwells company; Robert Morrell, Levt. in Capitane Masons company; Jasper Weir, Ensigne in Colonell Cobbetts his ovne companie; John Midser, Ensigne in Capitane Hatts company; Thomas Goods, ensigne in the Majors companie; Thomas Broune, ensigne in Levt. Colonell his company; Anthony Harser, ensigne in Capitane Mason his companie; Richard Brandes, ensigne in Capitan Blackwells company; Francies Butterfeeld, qrt. mr.; Alexr. Lauld, the chirurgins mate; Abraham Bucas, mershell; Nicolas Locket, servant to Capitane Hatt; Thomas Kelhain, servant to the sd. Capitane, all officers in Colonell Cobbets regiment *G.*

16. Andrew Dickson, merchant, married daughter of a burgess of gild *g.*

Jereime Campfeild, Major of Colonell Cobetts regiment *G.*

[1] Entry incomplete.

[2] Entry incomplete.

[3] Craik was not present, but the act of admission relates that the admission is to "be als valid and sufficient to the said Michaell and his children after him as if he had beine properlie pnt. at Abd."

1657.

Augt. 19. Henrie Goodere, esqr.; one of his Highnes counsell in Scotland; Colonell William Daniell, comander in cheef of the forces in the north of Scotland; Mr. Samuell Mosley, brother to Judge Mosley; Edvard Couzies, servant to Judge Gooder; George Cromar, servant to the sd. Judge; James Hendersoun, servant to Judge Mosley; Henrie Grahame, servant to Mr. Samuel Mosley; John Nicolsoun, servant to Mr. Barringer; James Dunbar, agent; John Pedy; Dudlie Hervie, merchant; Nicolas Lockyer; James Melvel, merchant in Edr.; William Melvill, merchant in Londoun; Thomas Woodweird; Harie Douglas, servant to Mr. Androw Bering, advocat; Angus Mackintosch, servant to Mr. Alexr. Hamiltoun, justice clerk; Georg Reid, servant to Judg Mosley; Wm. Melvel, servant to Mr. Robert Pittullo *G.*

26. James Riauch, servant to Robert Lesly, weaver *t.*

Sept. 9. John Naughtie, laxfisher in Abd.—licence to brew, &c.

Alexander Duncan, servant to John Edvard, weaver *t.*

Cornelius Strachan, weaver, son to the deceast Strachan *t.*

16. John Durat, merchant in Kincardine *g.*

James Banerman, laxfisher—licence to brew.

Octr. 7. David Aikinheid, appothecar *t.*

Novr. 25. Patrik Annand, eldest son to deceast Patrik A., baxter, burges *t.*

Decr. 9. William Barnet, somtyme resident in Polland *g.*

Alexr. Banerman, servant to Edvard Wilson, weaver *t.*

Dauid Dick, glover *t.*

30. William Allan, cordoner in Old Abd. *t.*

1658.

Jany. 20. Alexr. Orum in Old Abd. *g.*

3. Alexr. Murray, messenger *g.*

Feby. 17. Cristiane Burnet, indwellar in the Grein—licence to brew, &c.

James Youngsoun, son to Robert Y., somtyme in Pitmuckstoun, simple burgess.

24. Magnus Tailyeor, tailyeor *t.*

Mar. 4. Gilbert Davidsone, tailyeor, son to deceast Gilbert D., smith, burges *t.*

10. Robert Symer, cordoner, sone to Paull S. of Pitmuckstoun *t.*

Gilbert Keith, weaver *t.*

24. Margret Gorden, relict of William Kempt, milnart—licence to brew, &c.

April 21. George Cruikshank, merchant at Insche *g.*

28. James Leslie, servant and prentice to Magnus Robertsoune, wricht *t.*

1658.

June 9. Thomas Morris, messenger *g.*

16. Alexr. Mill, servant to Thomas Moir, couper *t.*

July 20. Frances Meingyes of Balgowny, son to the deceast Thomas M. of Balgowny, burges *g.*

Augt. 11. Thomas Hutcheone, weaver *t.*

25. James Rait, servant to Andrew Rait, burges *g.*

Sept. 12. Doctor James Lesly, doctor of medicine, second son of deceast Gilbert L., burges *g.*

15. Patrik Burnet, servant to William Schand, thesaurer of Abd. *g.*

21. Androw Burnet, eldest son to deceast Androw B., yor., burges, and Thomas Schand, son to William S., theasurer *g.*

29. Alexander Pyper at the New Milne of Straybeg, burges of Banff *g.*

Octr. 6. John Smith, merchant, somtyme resident in Polland *g.*

7. Robert Collison, third son to deceast Gilbert C., late baillie, who was second son of the late John C. of Auchlunnes, provost of Abd. *g.*

19. George Ross in the Hague, esquyr, cupbearer to the Princes Royal,—"in further testimony of thankfulnes towards the deceast Dor. Alexr. Ross at Londoun who was ane specll. benefactor to this burgh" *G.*

Novr. 23. Lord Neell Campbell *G.*

Sir James Campbell of Lawers, knicht, Lord Lyon King at Arms *G.*

Hew Montgomrie and Ard. Campbell, servants to Lord Neell Campbell *G.*

27. Patrik Dune, eldest sone of deceast Dor. Robert D. of Taartie, dor. of medicine, burges, "being of the aige of ten yeirs, at the desyr of Charles Dune, litster, burges of Abd., tutor testamentor to the said Patrik." *g.*

30. Androw Burnet, sone to Androw B. of Shethoksley, burgess, and Robert Cruikschank, second sone to deceast John C., burges *g.*

Robert Forbes, eldest sone to deceast John F., yor., burges *g.*

Decr. 1. Charles Dune, sone to Charles D., litster—"becaus his forbears and predicessors haid for ane long tyme bygand beine burgesses of gild of this burghe" *g.*

Alexander Gray, servant to deceast Mr. Thomas Gray, lait provest of Abd. *g.*

William Davidsoun, eldest sone to Alexr. D., burges *g.*

8. John Kempt, eldest sone to Andrew K., flesher, burges *t.*

1658.

Decr. 11. Thomas and Gilbert Gray, eldest and second sons of Gilbert G., lait bailly, being of the age of six quarters and threten weeks *g.*

1659.

Jany. 4. Alexander Burnet, eldest son of the deceast Thomas B., burges *g.*
William Divy, second son of the deceast Patrick D., burges, and Andro Mitchell, second son of the deceast Alexander M., burges *g.*
18. Alexander Bruce, servant to Mr. James Sandelands, toun clerk—"for good service done in the public effairs of the toun" *g.*
John Moir, merchant *g.*
26. Alexander Lumsdane in Ruthrestoun *g.*
Feby. 2. Alexander Williamsone at Chapelltoun of Esslemount *g.*
Mar. 9. George Burnet, son of the deceast Robert B., burges, and Alexr. Tosch, third son of James T., burges *g.*
Robert Lesly, eldest son to Patrik L., burges, and Andro Adam, eldest son of the deceast Androw A., eldr., burges *g.*
16. Alexander Clerk, eldest son of the deceast Thomas C., burges *g.*
19. George Morrison, eldest son of the deceast Wm. M., burges *g.*
Mr. George Nicolsoun, eldest son of the deceast Thomas N., somtyme baillie of Abd. *g.*
21. Gilbert Blak, eldest son of the deceast Wm. B., burges *g.*
April 6. James Merschell, indwellar in Abd. *g.*
Androw Smith, weaver *t.*
May 4. Gilbert Lesly, eldest son of the deceast Leonard L., burges *g.*
11. Adam Gordone, couper, son of the deceast G., tailyeor *t.*
Mr. John Hay of Mulden, wreter in Edinburgh, and Mr. Frances Ogstoun, servant to Mr. John Nisbit, Commissary of Edinr. *G.*
June 1. William Murray, weaver *t.*
William Chopman, eldest son of Andro C., baxter *t.*
8. Arthour Young, levtennent colonell of colonell Abel's regiment; Daniell Davidsone, major of colonell Fairfax regiment; Philip Bower, levtennent; Gregorie Constable, levtennent; Thomas Griffeth, qr. master *G.*
19. Reno. Baillie, capitan; Frances Serjant, levtenent; Robert Dinley, levtenent; John Kirk, ensigne; Evane Johns, ensigne; William Cowell, ensigne; John Adlingtoun, ensigne; Anthony Saxon, ensigne; William Rothy, ensigne; William Pim, ensigne; John Man, chirurgine *G.*

1659.

June 28. Mr. Robert Prestoun of Prestoun, John Campbell of Fordue, and Thomas Twedie, ther servant *G.*

July 6. Robert Farquhar, servant to Alexander Jaffray of Kingswalls, Derector of the Chancellarie—Farquhar had been 'prentice to Jaffray *g.*

Augt. 10. William Archbald, baxter, prenteis to John Archibald, burges *t.*

Francis Thomsone, son to Mr. Francis T., sometyme minister at *g.*

William Mill at Halfpennie hous—licence as a maltman.

11. William Blackburne, second son of William B., burges *g.*

10. Sir James Mackdowell, one of the Commissioners for custome and excyss of Scotland; William Welch, his clerk, and Mr. Robert Hodge of Gladsmoor *G.*

Mr. John Turing of Saphok *G.*

24. William Edmonstoun, brother to John E., burges *g.*

John Andersone, son to the deceast Wm. A., smith in Old Abd. *g.*

Alexr. Cragmyll, servant to Alexr. Crukschank, couper *t.*

Sept. 7. Alexr. Reid, second son to the deceast Mr. Alexr. R., burges *g.*

Alexr. Cushny, second son of the deceast John C., burges *g.*

Colonell Charles Fairfax, Capitane Thomas Suttone, and Ritchard Smith, servant to the said Colonell *G.*

13. Andro Galloway, servant to John Jaffray, provest *g.*

14. Georg Keith, eldest son of the deceast Alexr. K., burges.

21. Alexr. Young, servant to John Hendrie, cordoner *t.*

Georg Broune, candle macker *t.*

23. John Forbes of Wattertoun *g. j.*

Robert Skene, eldest son to James S., burges *g.*

Mr. Alexr. Pattoun, advocat in Abd. *g.*

26. Piter Liewe, skipper of the good ship callit the Lamb of Abd. *G.*

Octr. 4. William Hodge, skipper of the John of Aberdein *G.*

6. John Nailhencde, senior, Captain of the warship Lieden of Zealand *G.*

John Nailhencde, junior, son of the above *G.*

Novr. 18. John Skene, eldest son of Mr. Alexr. S., lait baillie of Abd. *g.*

Mr. George Meldrum, one of the Ministers of Aberdein, son of the deceast Andro M., sometyme baillie of Aberdein *g.*

Decr. 1. Mr. Wm. Johnstoun, one of the regents of the Kings Colledge of Old Abd., eldest son of the deceast Mr. Arthour J., doctor of medicine *g.*

1660.

Jany. 25. John Walker, merchant in Tarves *g.*

1660.

Feby. 8. William King, son to Jon K., in Elgine *g.*

29. Alexr. Young, tinklar in Fordoun—to exercise his trade during pleasure of the Council.

Mar. 21. John Moir, eldest son to Patrick M., baillie of Abd., and Mr. Thomas Johnstoun, eldest son of the deceast Mr. Wm. J., burges *g.*

28. George Hill, servant to William Gib, tailyeor *t.*

April 25. William Smith, cordoner, sometyme souldier in Colonell Fairfax's regiment *t.*

May 7. Gilbert Mollysone, yor., eldest son of Gilbert M., baillie, a pupil *g.*

12. Capitane Georg Melvill, second son to Capitane Thomas M., late Deane of gild—"for the special favor and respect that the magistrates did bear to the sd. Capitane George for his good service this day in exerciseing, ordering and traineing vp the inhabitants of the burghe being vnder armes at ther solemnitie and rejoceing for our Soverane Lord the Kings majestie his happie and safe returne to the injoyment of his dominions" *g.*

Alexr. Crukschank, merchant in Edr., second son to the deceast Dauid C., burges of Abd. *g.*

June 6. John Annand, skipper of the Post of Aberdein, married daughter of a burgess *g.*

13. Robert Cruikschank, merchant at Drumblet *g.*

Major Ralph Waterhous, Capitane Robert Sanders, Lævtennent John Reynes, Levtennent Robert Legard, Levtennent George Fairweder, William Cullop, ensigne bearer; Robert Shipman, ensigne bearer; Thomas , chirurgine *G.*

21. Michaell Jaffray, merchant *g.*

July 4. Alexr. Garioch, son to Mr. Alexr. G., minister at Peterculter *g.*

Augt. 22. James Chalmers, citizen of Cracow in Poland, son of Gilbert C. of Counteswallis and grandson of Alexander C. of Cults, late provost of Aberdeen *g. j.*

James Chalmers, son to the above James C. *g. j.*

Cristopher Knoblauch, merchant in Prussia *G.*

31. Mr. James Gordoun, minister at Rothemay, son to the laird of Straloch *G.*

Sept. 3. Mr. Wm. Meldrum of Stratharie *G.*

12. Roger Adiesoun, indwellar in this burghe, married the daughter and relict of a burges of gild *g.*

Frances Irvine, indwellar in Abd. *g.*

1660.

Sept. 12. John Cruikschank, tailzeor, eldest son to Robert C., tailyeor *t.*
Cruikschank, naturall son to the deceast George C., burges *g.*

Octr. 11. William, Earl Marischall, Lord Keith and Altrie; Colonell Georg Keith of Aldmad; Sir Alexr. Burnet of Leyes; Alexr. Keith, yor., of Ludqrn.; Alexr. Banerman, yor., of Elsick; Major George, and Capitane Wm. Keith *G.*

John Keith at the Mill of Invernetie; Alexr. Gordone in Stanehaven; Gilbert Lennox, John Gormack, Mr. John Robertsone, Hector Cameron, Jon Andro, Alexr. Jellie, Alexr. Wyllie, Thomas Leids, servants to Erle Marischall; Andro Watsone, baillie of Peterheid; Wm. Findlater, servant to Colonell Georg Keith; Jon Keith, servant to Alexr. Bannerman of Elsick; Alexr. Bannerman, servant to the sd. Alexr. Bannerman; Alexr. Broune, servant to Alexr. Keith of Ludqrn.; Frances Stewart, servant to the Laird of Leyes *G.*

24. John Murray, merchant in Turreff *g.*

26. Sir John Keith, Marischell of Scotland, brother to the Earle Marischell *G.*

Mr. Andro Hendersone, minister at Deskford: Patrick Keith, servant to Sir Jon Keith; Wm. Meldrum, servant to Robert Keith of Whitrigs *G.*

Novr. 7. James Morres, sometyme vaiter of the customs of Aberdein *g.*

28. Alexander Clerk, eldest sone to Alexr. C., weaver *g.*

1661.

Jany. 23. John Murray, merchant *g*

Feby. 13. Dauid Deuchars at the Brige of Die, flesher *t.*

Patrik Logane, eldest son to the deceast John L., burges *g.*

Mar. 13. James Byres, merchant at Keith *g.*

April 10. William Robertsone, cordoner in Spittell *t.*

May 15. Mr. Johne Gellie, minister at Monimusk, married daughter of a burges of gild *g.*

Johne Wells, married daughter of a burges of gild *g.*

July 11. James Nauchtie, sometyme prentes to Androw Young, couper *t.*

12. William Gray, skipper in Lyme Kills *g.*

17. Samvell Syres, merchant, married daughter of a burges of gild *g.*

24. Patrick Gray, servant to John Mellis, couper *t.*

William Deuchars, flesher *t.*

1661

July 25. Master Duncan Liddell, Professor of Mathematiks within the New Colledge of Abd. *G.*

Augt. 2. John Cruikshank, sometyme collecter of excyss *g.*

Sept. 2. George Scott, eldest son to William S., wricht *t.*

Thomas Gray, eldest son to the deceast Alexr. G., wricht *t.*

John Smith, cordoner, eldest son to the deceast Alexander S., cordoner *t.*

5. Gilbert, earl of Erroll, hich constable of Scotland; Sir Robert Grahame of Morphie; Sir John Vrquhart of Cromartie; Sir Alexr. Carnegie of Pittarow; Sir Andro Hay of ; Mr. Dauid Strachan, minister at Fettercarne; Mr. James Chalmer, minister at Cullen; Mr. Alexr. Garden, minister at Forge; Mr. William Keith, minister at Vdny; Mr. Georg Middltoun, dor. of phisick *G.*

17. John and Thomes Alexander, eldest and fourth sons to Alexr. A., baillie *g.*

18. William Mill at Halfpenny hous[1] *g.*

26. Capitane Georg Auchmutie *G.*

Octr. 23. Alexander Etershank, couper, re-admitted *t.*

Novr. 6. Mr. Arthur Gordoun, advocate before the Supreme Court *G.*

8. Andrew, lord Fraser; Patrick Barclay of Towie; Francis Fraser of Kinmundie, and Andrew Fraser, son to John F. of Kinmundie *G.*

Francis Fraser, servant to lord Fraser, and Dauid Sinclair, servant to Patrick Barclay *G.*

20. Georg Cruden, merchant *g.*

1662.

Mar. 26. Walter Crage, baiker, servant to John Keany, baxter *t.*

Patrick Mackenzie *g.*

Donald McKgillivie, simple burgess.

April 1. Robert Skene, merchant, son to the deceast Thomas S. of Belhelvie *g.*

16. Wm. Robertsone, flesher *t.*

23. John Maitland, smith *t.*

May 2. John Burnet, eldest son to John B., dean of gild, a pupil. *g.*

28. Robert Mill, second son to Robert M., cordoner *t.*

Augt. 13. John Nicolsone, skipper in Futtie, promised to give a musket and bandiler to the touns magazin *g.*

Walter Archibald, flesher in Clerkseat *t.*

[1] Cf. 10th August, 1659; now admitted to full status as a burgess of guild.

1662.

Augt. 16. Walter Robertsone, eldest son of Mathew R., burges *g.*

20. Thomas Cushny, glassier, married daughter of a burges *t.*

Alexander Johnstoune, glassier, eldest son to Alexander J., glassier *t.*

Thomas Johnstoun, glassier, second son to Alexander J., glassier *t.*

29. Georg Farquhar, cordoner, prenteis and servant to Patrick Murray, cordoner *t.*

Sept. 9. William Troup of Belnacrag *g.*

John Gordoun, servant and prentes to Nathainell Black, saidler, eldest son of the deceast Gordoun, burges of gild *t.*

William Andersone, merchant, re-admitted *g.*

17. David, Bishop of Aberdeen; Mr. John Forbes, Professor of Humanity in the college of old Aberdeen, and Mr. John Spaldine, son of Alexander S., advocate in Aberdeen *G.*

Mr. John Patersone, minister at Ellone; Mr. George Patersone, second son of John, Bishop of Ross; Thomas P., third son of the said Bishop, and William P., his furth son *G.*

22. Patrick Lindsay of Wolmerstoun, Commissary of St. Andrews; John Alexander, pror. phiscl of the said Commissariot; John Wilsone, advocate, of the same and Andrew Thomsone, advocate in Aberdeen *G.*

Octr. 18. Thomas Cushnie, eldest son of the deceast Patrick C., burges *g.*

21. David Thomsone, merchant in Edinburgh *G.*

William Melvill, advocate, eldest son of the deceast Andrew M., burges *g.*

22. James Cheine, weaver, servant and prenteis to John Strachan, weaver *t.*

Novr. James Gibsone, glover, servant to Walter Mengzes, glover *t.*

1663.

Jany. 22. Kenneth, earl of Seaforth, lord Mackenzie and Kintaill; Alexander Mackenzie, junier of Coull; Kenneth Mackenzie of Siddie; Roderick Mackenzie, burges of Invernes; Mr. George Mackenzie, doctor of medicine; Simon Mackenzie, son of Kenneth Mackenzie of Coull; Colin Mackenzie, servant to the said earl; Gilbert Pyckering, also his servant; William Haitly, servant to John, Bishop of Ross *G.*

28. John Fairley, saidler, prentes to John Gray, saidler *t.*

Feby. 11. Georg Kay, baxter, servant to Patrik Murray, baxter *t.*

18. James Hill, cordiner *t.*

1663.

Mar. 11. William Archibald, tailyour, son to Wm. A. in Nether Mondurno *t.*

16. Charles, earl of Aboyne; lord Strathaven and Glenlivet; Sir Georg Gordoun of Gight; Sir Alexander Forbes of Tolquhone; Sir John Gordone of Haddo; Charles Irvine, third son to the deceast Sir Alexander I. of Drum; Alexander Abercrombie of Feterneir; Francis Ross of Auchlossin; John Maitland of Auchincreve; Master Georg Gordoun, brother to the Laird of Haddo; John Gordoun of Blelack; Adam Gordoun of Corrachrie; William Fraser of Cragtoun; John Gordoun of Auchluchries; Alexander Gordoun in Overhill; James Innes of Drumgask; Adam Gordoun of Achaunachie; John Gordone of Litle Mill; James Gordoun of Culpstrath; James Wright of Watersyd; Alexander Gordoun of Murreisk; Thomas Gordoun of Mill of Smithstoune; Adam Gordoun of Sweltam; Patrik Gordone of Cults; Thomas Vrquhart, William Gordoun, John Catenach, Alexander Gordone, barbor in Abd.; Frances Turnor, James Crage, John Stavart, John Carle, Alexr. Watt, Alexr. Georg, John Johnstoune, servants to the said earl of Aboyne; Georg Gordoun, servant to Sir Jon Gordoun of Haddo; Alexr. Gordoun, also his servant; James Shand in Tarves; Alexr. Henrie, servant to Charles Irvine; , servant to James Irvine, brother to the sd. Charles; Alexr. Wood, servant to Sir Georg Gordoun of Gight; Georg Wood and Robt. Blackhall, also his servants *G.*

17. Sir James Middletoune; Mr. John Dollas of Ross; James Chalmer and John Dick, servants to the said Sir James *G.*

18. John Gordoun in Schthin *g.*

John Ross, son of the deceast Walter R. in Lochtoune of Dores *g.*

25. Mr. Alexander Robertsone, advocate, Aberdeen, married a daughter of a burges *g.*

April 15. Piter Jop, barbor chirurgine and appothecar, only son to Piter J., burges *g.*

22. Adam Maltman, merchant in Keith *g.*

May 20. Thomas Gairdin, glover, son of the deceast Thomas G., tailyor; and Thomas Thomsone, glover, son to the deceast Thomas T., burges *t.*

June 24. Georg Clerk, tailyour *t.*

John Moir, son to the deceast John M., weaver *t.*

July 8. Morgane Gauld, flesher *t.*

1663.

Augt. 12. James Blinschell, second son to John B., weaver; Charles Sangster, second son to Wm. S., elder, weaver *t.*
William Hutchone, eldest sone to Alexander H., weaver *t.*
John Gellane, eldest sone to Robert G., flesher *t.*

Sept. 10. William Buchan, James Tailyor and Alexander Glenny, tailyours, all married daughters of friemen within this burghe and had been prentessis and servants within the samen. *t.*
John Grahame, indweller in Aberdeen, simple burgess.
Robert Innes, sone to Mr. Robert I., appothecar, burges *g.*

16. Paull Meldrum, third sone to Ando M., somtyme baillie of Abd. *g. j.*
Androw Burnet, sone to the deceast Androw B. of Slowie, prenticed to Robert Cruickshank, baillie *g.*
John Gordoun, merchant at Rheny *g.*
William Fyffe, merchant at Tilliwhillie *g.*

24. Capitane Robert Johnstoune, for good service done be him to the burt. *G.*

30. Matthew Lumsdane, third son to the deceased Mr. Mathew L. of Ruthrestoun, lait baillie *g.*
William Hendersone, merchant, sone of the deceast Archibald H., couper, burges *g.*

Octr. 6. Robert Gordoun, eldest sone to the Laird of Pitlurg; Mr. Robert Burnett, advocat in Edr.; Mr. Lues Gordoun, doctor of medicine; Mr. David Thores, advocat in Edr., and John Spens, servant to the said Mr. Robert Burnet *G.*

8. Patrick Chalmer, eldest sone of the deceast Mr. Patrick C., shreff and toune clerk of Abd. *g.*

21. John Crystie, merchant at Keith *g.*

22. Alexander, Bishop of Aberdeen *G.*

3. Mr. Andrew Burnet, writer in Edinburgh, son of the late Robert B., burges *g.*
John Fleimeing, servant to the Bishop of Aberdeen *G.*

4. Alexander Idle, cordoner *t.*

18. David Gordoun, secund sone of the deceast John G., burges *g.*

1664.

Jany. 6. James Still, merchant *g.*

Feby. 25. Patrick, Bishop of Caithness; Sir John Forbes of Cragivar; John Forbes, commissar of Caithness, sone to the said Reverend Father *G.*

1664.

Mar. 2. Androw Gordoun, appothecar, sone to vmqll. Mr. James G. of Seatoune, wretar to his Maties. signet, apprenticed to David Aikinheid, appothecar, burges of Abd. *t.*

Alexander Gibb, merchant *g.*

10. Piter Crystie, servant to Piter Crystie, merchant, burges *g.*

Georg Nairne, eldest sone to Andro N., glover *t.*

30. James Leslie, glover, secund sone to the deceast John L., burges *t.*

April 27. George Gordoun, only son of the late George G., burges *g.*

May 16. Patrick, Bishop of Aberdein; Sir Androw Fletcher; Mr. James Weyms, deane of Sant Androws; Mr. John Scugald, sone to the said Reverend Father; Mr. Wm. Weir, wretar in Edinbrut; Mr. Robert Reynold, minister at Sant Wigants; Mr. Harie Cockburne, servant to the said Reverend father; as also Charles Lowry, his servant, and servant to ane Reverend father, John, Bishop of Ross *G.*

June 8. James Broune, weaver, servant to Adam Smith, weaver *t.*

July 29. Andrew Skene, merchant, of Tarvees *g.*

Augt. 16. Nathaniell Smith, merchant, married daughter of a burgess *g.*

Adam Smith, merchant, married daughter of a burgess *g.*

13. Doctor John Rogers, professor of medicine in the University of Oxford, and Richard Colins of the Inner Temple, London *G.*

19. Gilbert Andersone, servant to John Burnet, one of the baillies of this burgh *g.*

24. John Leask, servant to Gilbert Mollesone, one of the baillies of this burgh *g.*

Alexander Collie, shoemacker, eldest sone to the deceast Alexr. C., shoemacker *t.*

25. Alexander Blair, citizen and merchant of London *G.*

26. Sir James Foules of Colingtoune, one of the Lords of Counsell and Sessione; Mr. John Bayne of Pitcairley; John Foules esqr.; Mr. Roderick Mackenzie, student of divinitie; John Broune, brother to the laird of Finmouth; Robert Lindsay, John Watsone, Wm. Broune, Alexr. Mackenzie, James Patersone, Wm. Broune, David Monteith, servants to the said Sir James; David Chaplane, servant to the said Mr. John Bayne *G.*

Sept. 2. Alexander Gray, merchant, son to the late William G., wright burges *g.*

1664.

Sept. 6. Lord Henrie Gordoun, sone to ane noble and potent Earll Georg, Marques of Huntly, Earle of Enzie, Lord Badenoch, and Colonell vnder the King of Polland; Adam Vrqrt. of Meldrum; Frances Irvine, sone to the deceast Sir Alexr. Irvine of Drum; Alexander Gordone of Arradoull; Sir John Baird of Byth; John Irvine of Kincowsie; William Gordone, writer in Edr.; Mr. Robert Irvine, sone to Jon Irvine of Murthill *G.*

John Bruce and James Ogilvy, servants to lord Henrie Gordone; James Grant, William Lesly, William Gordone, servants to Alexr. Irvine of Drum; William Gordone, sone to Georg Gordone of Schellgreine and servant to Sir John Baird; Jon Cruikshank and Jon Dauidsone, servants to the Earll of Aboyne *G.*

10. William Thomsone, merchant *g.*
Alexander Machray, couper *t.*

14. John Cruikshank, thirtd sone of the deceast John C., merchant. *g.*
Georg Hill, tailyor *t.*

22. John Seatoune eldest sone of the deceast Robert S., burges *g.*

26. John Schand, tailor *t.*

Octr. 3. Charles Oliphant, writer, Edinburgh *G.*

12. Robert Gordone, sone to Sir Lues G. of Gordonstone; John Gordone of Carneburra; John Gordone of Walkmiln; George Adamsone of Floors; Thomas Gordone in Cults; Patk. Gordone, sone to John Gordone of Litlemiln; James Gordone of Gibsone; John Gordone in Overhill; John Gordone of Avochie *G.*

Novr. 2. George Ross, pewterer[1] *t.*
Georg Troup in Hardgait, shoemacker *t.*
James Barclay, merchant *g.*

9. Andrew Aberdein, weaver, servant to James Crukschank, weaver *t.*

Decr. 21. Patrik Gordone, shoemacker *t.*

1665.

Jany. 18. John Low, servant to Andrew Watsone, flesher *t.*

Mar. 15. Alexander Annand, eldest sone of Alexander A., wricht, burges *t.*

[1] "Lykas the said Georg binds and oblessis him that all and whatsomeuer work he shall by himself or any others work, or caus be wrocht, and markit with his ordinarie mark and stamp sal be of sufficient mettall, and that he sal be subject to the Magistrats and Councell of the sd. brugh or any they shall appoynt anent the tryall of the sufficiencie therof and anent such weght and pryce as they shall find expedient to impose."

1665.

Mar. 7. Robert Watsone, Thomas Macken, John Oldmell, William Cowy, James Allan, William Ross, Georg Donald and William Grant, mariners, simple burgesses, becaus of ther willing vndertaking his maties. present service at sea *G.*

April 6. James Vrquhart of Auldcrage; James and Patrik Vrquharts, sons to the Laird of Meldrum *G.*

May 4. Piter Pallatt, merchant in Burdeaux; Jon Lawritan, burges ther; Andro Nimmo, collector of customs at Abd.; Captane John Lichtfoott of the Speidweill frigot; Philip Lichtfoot, his brother, and , chirurgin *G.*

6. Sir Archibald Murray of Blakbarrony; Richard Murray, his brother; Archibald Murray of Kilconqr.; Mr. Wm. Forbes, brother to Cragivar; Georg Ker, servant to Blakbarrony; James Hutchesone, servant to Kilconqr.; Jon Moffat, servant to Cragivar; James Wood, also servant to Blakbarrony *G.*

June 21. William Strachan, smith in Hardgate *t.*

July 5. Mr. William Forbes, eldest sone of the deceast James F., burges *g.*

10. Robert Sandelands, deane of gild of Edinburgh; Patrik Threpland, provest of Pearth; Georg Fletcher, deane of gild of Dundy; Alexander Sandilands and James Curry, burgesses of Edinbrugh; John Lyell, burges of Dundie, and George Conqueror, and William Forbes, sone to Mr. Arthor Forbes, burges of Aberdeen[1] *G.*

21. George Skeine, merchant *g.*

25. Georg Burnet, secund sone to John B., baillie, and Alexr. Fraser, eldest sone of the deceast Alexander F., burges, pupils *g.*

Sept. 7. George Malice, sone to the decest James M., weaver *t.*

27. John Walker, toune sergand, for good service *g.*

Octr. 23. Robert Patrie, eldest and onlie sone to the deceast James P., burges *g.*

Novr. 1. James Dempster, only sone to the deceast John D., flesher *g.*

8. Thomas Grige, servant to Thomas Ritchie, weaver *t.*

30. Ritchard Maitland, eldest sone to Ritchard M. of Pittrichie, and Master James Maitland, sone to Master James M., secretarie to John, earle of Lauderdale, lord Maitland of Liddingtoune *G.*

Decr. 4. Thomas Burnet of Pittinbeiry; Alexander Gordone, sone to the deceast James G. of Tillielt, and Capitane William Barclay of Auchrydie (who had married ane burges of gild's daughter) *G.*

[1] Commissioners of Burghs.

1666.

Jany. 24. William Gordone, weaver *t.*

Feby. 21. John Henrie, weaver *t.*

24. John Henry, weaver [1] *t.*

Thomas Burnet, eldest son of Alexander B., younger, burgess, called "Polls" *g.*

Mar. 22. Alexander, lord Fyvy and Vrquhard; Georg Seatoun of Minnies *G.*

James Forrester, Georg Rait and John Chalmer, servants to lord Fyvy, and Gilbt. Logane, servant to the laird of Wattertoune *G.*

28. Alexander Andersone, dyer *t.*

May James, earle of Airly; Lord Ogilvy, of Ardownies; James and Alexander Ogilvies, sones to Sir James O. of Newgrange; John Seatoun of Thorntoun; Capitane James Basken of Ord; Wod, sone to Mr. James Wood, minister; John Haitly, Thomas Ogilvy, Patrik Wishart, James Meldrum, John Hendersone, Alexr. Key, servants to the said earle; Frances Irvine, servant to Ardowynies *G.*

16. James Gordon, son to George G. of Scheilgrein *g.*

June 11. Capitane Georg Lueus, Alexander Moncreiff, Robert Bruce, Neill Largo *G.*

July 11. Georg Fyffe, baxter *t.*

Augt. 1. Alexr. Mackenzie, weaver *t.*

15. Abraham Thomsone, merchant, married a daughter of a burges *g.*

22. Wm. Scot, goldsmith, sone to William S., wricht, and John Nairne, glover, sone to Andro N., glover *t.*

Sept. 1. Georg, Marques of Huntly, Lord Gordoun of Badzinoch and Lochaber, &c.; James Gordone of Rothemay; Frances Gordone of Crage; Sir William Gordoun of Lesmor; James Gordone, yor. therof, his sone; Georg Gordone of Edinglassach; Alexander Windraham, brother to the laird of Libbertoun; John Scott, one of his maties. commissioners guard; John Gordone of Beldorny; Patrik Gordone of Lecthestoun; John Gordone of Bucky; Walter Ogilvy, yor. of Ragall; James Gordon, bailly of the Enyie; Gordone of Knokespoek; Alexander Duff of Kethmoir; John Buchanan, servant to his maties. comissioner his grace; Alexander Lesly, wreter in Edzr.; John Gordone, sone to Thomas Gordone, shereff deput of Abd. *G.*

[1] Probably a double entry.

1666.

Sept. 21. Androw Jaffray, servant to Androw Mitchell, thesauser of Aberdeen, for good service done by his master *g.*

22. Alexander Robertsone, second sone to Alexander R., burges, now deceast *g.*

Octr. 10. John Scott, wricht, second sone to William S., wricht *t.*

George Gordone, weaver, eldest sone to Alexander G., weaver *t.*

Alexr. Jamesone, weaver, only sone to the deceast Alexr. J., burges *t.*

26. Alexander Cunninghame of Todsgreene *G.*

David Black, servant to the said Alexander *G.*

Novr. 14. John Dauidsone, induellar, prisoner for certane yeiris at Barbadous in his maties. service *g.*

Neill Largo, married a daughter of a burges of gild *g.*

Decr. 3. Androw Burnet, eldest sone to Androw B., burges, comonly callit "Dunkirker" *g.*

5. William Banerman, third sone to the deceast Alexander B. of Elsick, burges *g.*

19. James Thomsone, tailyor *t.*

1667.

Jany. 23. Adam Mursone, tailyor, married the daughter of a frieman *t.*

Feby. 23. Thomas Burnet, merchant, sone to the deceast Robert B., merchant, burges *g.*

Thomas Burnet, eldest sone to the above Thomas B. *g.*

27. Wm. Davidsone, cordoner, eldest sone to the deceast Wm. D., wyver, burges *t.*

Mar. 5. Andrew Ramsay, eldest sone to Sir Andrew R. of Abbotshall, provest of Edr. *g.*

April 3. Alexander Smith, shoemaker, sone to John S., induellar *t.*

17. Alexander Lassone, merchant *g.*

Robert Auld, cordoner, only sone to the deceast Robert A., cordoner *t.*

June 6. Charles, Lord Erskene; James Hay, brother to the Earle of Kinoule; Sir James Keith, shereff deput of Angous; Alexr. Innes of Sinnahard; Jon Innes, his brother; Wm. Logie of Bogheids; Mr. Wm. Logie, his sone *G.*

Alexr. Mill and William Groat, servants to the Earl Marshell; Duncan Forbes, servant to the Earle of Marr; Alexr. Mores and Alexr. Hutsone, servants to the Lord Erskein *G.*

July 10. John Boghous, cordoner *t.*

1667.

July 10. Mr. George Walker, sone to Dor. George W., dor. of divinity, ane of his maties. justices of peace of the County of Ardmach and Tirron *G.*

23. Johne Frances Mowat, only sone to James M., merchant, banquer in Paris and burges of Aberdein *G.*

Jon Broune, sone to John B., merchand, burges in Edinbrughe *G.*

George Flyming, servant to the said James Mowat *G.*

31. Robert Girrard, merchant, was prenticed to Alexander Jaffray of Kingswells, late provest *g.*

Augt. 2. William Lesly, secund sone to Patrik L., merchant, burges *g.*

14. John Moir, merchant, married the daughter of Alexr. Collisone, burges, whose predicessors hade beine magistrats *g.*

24. Andro Ritchie, eldest sone to Thomas R., wyver *g.*

William Galt, merchand in Londone, and one of the Turkie Company of Levant *G.*

Jon Baird, servant to the said William Galt *G.*

Sept. 7. David Jack, weaver, servant to John Jack, weaver *t.*

George Angus, merchant, re-admitted[1] *g.*

17. William Coutts, merchand in Old Aberdein *g.*

Octr. 12. Wm. Robertsone, eldest sone to Charles R., late baillie, and Robert Skein, eldest son to Andro S., Dean of Gild *g.*

24. James Webster, secund sone to the deceast John W., merchant, burges *g.*

30. Sir John Forbes of Monymuisk *G.*

John Forbes, servant to Sir John Fletcher of New Cranstoun; Alexr. Robertson, Alexr. Johnstoun, James Mourin, servants to the Earle Marshall; James Ross, servant to Pitfoddells elder; Robert Coutts, servant to the laird of Monymuisk; James Broune, servant to Sir John Keith of Keith-hall *G.*

1668.

Jany. 10. William and Adam Forbes, sons to the Laird of Revelstoun *G.*

Feby. 5. William Innes, merchant in Old Dear *g.*

12. James Carnegie, litster *t.*

James Watsone, son to Andrew W., flesher *g.*

19. John Fyffe, merchant and burgess of Dundy *g.*

[1] Cf. entry 5th December, 1649.

1668.

Feby. 19. Captane Robert Arbuthnot; George Pattoun, servant to Mr. Alexander Pattoun of Kinady, and John Yetts, trumpetor to the Earle Marschell *G.*

Mar. 11. Androw Mathewsone, weaver *t.*

18. John Simpsone, merchant *g.*

April 1. John Ross, induellar, married the daughter of a burges of gild *g.*

Captane George Arnot; James Gordon, son to Gordon in Ardwell, and Gilbert Ellott, thrie of his maties. guard *G.*

8. James Hendersone, merchant *g.*

9. Mr. Thomas Gordone, sone to Mr. James G. of Buthlaw, and Alexr. Gray, servant to Sir John Nisbet of Dirlingtoune, his majesties Lord Advocat *G.*

20. Thomas Mitchell, secund sone to Andrew M., late theasurer, a pupil *g.*

22. David Mather, sone to David M., skipper *g.*

John Cruikshank, merchant at Tarves *g.*

23. Patrik Forbes, sone to the deceast Alexr. F. of Drumlassie *G.*

29. Mr. William Gray, minister at Dunse, second sone to the deceast Mr. Willlam G., somtyme Minister at Ouchterles, burges *g.*

May 6. Georg Logie, merchant *g.*

Andrew Dempster, taillior *t.*

13. John Forsyth, merchant, married the daughter of a burges of gild *g.*

John Mitchell, merchant, married the daughter of a frieman *g.*

16. Henry Mackie, secretar to John, Earle of Rothes, Lord Lesly and Bambrech, Lord High Chancellar of Scotland *G.*

20. Walter Robertsone, induellar in old Aberden *g.*

Alexander Duncan, merchant at Muir of Reny *g.*

21. William Scott, eldest sone to John S., bailly *g.*

Capitan Michaell Seattoun, of Bruntilland *G.*

23. Walter Stuart, bailly of Bamff, married the daughter of Patrick Moir, late baillie of Aberdeen *g.*

Patrik Moir, second sone to the deceast Mr. William M., somtyme bailly of Aberdeen, and principal of the college of the samen *g.*

27. Robert Macky, mariner, married daughter of a frie tradsman *g.*

James Gilreith, prentice and servant to John Archibald, merchant *g.*

June 9. Mr. James Kennedy, elder, shereff and toune clerk of Aberdein *g.*

11. Mr. James Kennedy, yor., shereff clerk of Aberdein *g.*

Gilbert Divvie, only son of Gilbert D., Mr. of the kirk and brige work, a pupil *g.*

1668.

June 24. John Leitch, baiker in old Aberdein *t.*

26. Andro Ramsay, servant to William, Earle Marshell *G.*

July 8. William Jamesone, merchant, married a daughter of a burges of gild *g.*

Augt. 13. Mr. David Lyall, parsone of Sanct Nicolas kirk, and Mr. Patrik Sibbald, two of the ministers of the burt. *G.*

James Donaldsone, eldest sone to John D., merchand, burges, a pupil *g.*

Patrik Kerr, sone to John K. of Auchinhove, out of the special favour borne to Mr. John Forbes, shereff deput of the shereffdome of Aberdein, his vncle *G.*

William Reid, somtyme servant to Mr. Thomas Buck of Grandhome, and , servant to Mr. George Nicolsone of Cluny, advocat in Edinbrughe *G.*

21. Gilbert Menzes, eldest sone to William M., yor. of Pitfoddells, a pupil *g.*

Sept. 21. Mr. John Mellis, minister at Slindone, in the Countie of Sussex in England, only sone of John M., couper, burges *g.*

Benjamine Reider, servant to the sd. Mr. John Mellis *G.*

Thomas Bruce, merchand, to mary Janet Andersone, daughter to the deceast Mr. Adam A., burges *g.*

Robert Hay, servant to John Duncan, baillie *g.*

William Hamiltoun, servant to Mary, Countes Dowager of Marshall *G.*

22. Mr. Alexr. Ker, minister at Grange, married the daughter of a burges of gild *g.*

William Moir, eldest sone of Mr. William M., docter of medicine, burges, and William Black, eldest sone to Gilbert B., theasurer, pupils *g.*

Walter Robertsone, second sone to Charles R., late bailly *g.*

William Peiry, tailyor, eldest sone to the deceast James P., tailyor *t.*

26. Sir Robert Nairne of Strathuird, ane of the Lords of Councell and Session; Patrik Grahame of Inschbraco; George Graham, yor. therof; Patrik, James and David Grahams, sons to the sd. Patrik G.; Ninian Grahame, James Ogilvie, Robert Hepburne, servants to the said Sir Robert Nairne *G.*

28. John, Earle of Rothes, Lord Lesly and Bambreich, Lord Highe Chancellar of Scotland *G.*

Sir John Gordon of Haddo, James Lumsden of Monwhony, Mathew Colvill, ane of his maties. lyfguard *G.*

John Lesly, eldest sone to George L., dean of gild, a pupil *g.*

1668.

Sept. 28. William Harper, skipper in the sd. brut., married the daughter of a frie tradsman, and did good service to this brut. in tyme of the late warrs against the hollanders *g.*

30. Sir Alexr. Fraser of Durris, first phisitiane in ordinary to the King's Majestie; James Chesse esquyre, sone to his maties. cheif appothecar; Andro Fraser, yor. of Nether Kinmundy; Alexr. Fraser, nephoy to the sd. Sir Alexr. Fraser; Mr. Robert Reid, minister at Banchory Trinity; William Irvine, sone to the deceast Mr. Alexr. I., somtyme minister at Longsyde, and Thomas Fraser, servant to the sd. Sir Alexr. *G.*

Robert Forbes of Newtoun, second sone to the deceast Sir William F. of Cragivare *g.*

Wm. Forbes, servant to the sd. Robert Forbes of Newtoune *G.*

Octr. 3. Alexr. Gordon of Glengarioch; Thomas G., his brother; Capitan Patrik Wishart, ane of his maties. guard; Alexr. Jardane, clerk to the Erle of Linlithgow his company of foot *G.*

Decr. 16. James Shand, coupar, prentise and servant to William Glennie, coupar, burges *t.*

23. Alexr. Smyth, merchand, married a daughter of a burges of gild *g.*

1669.

Jany. 6. Robert Kelly, sone to the deceast Andro K., baxter *g.*

18. James, Earle of Findlator, Lord Deskfoord; and Patrik Ogilvy, his brother *G.*

Robert Reid, advocat in Aberdein, third sone to the deceast Mr. Alexr. R., burges *g.*

20. John Grige, sone to John G. in Linhead *g.*

William Hay, merchant *g.*

Francis Murray, weaver, prentis to ane frieman *t.*

Feby. 27. James Gregory, sone to the deceast Mr. John G., minister at Drummaik, professor of mathematics in University of St. Andrews.

Mar. 3. James Tarves, weaver, son of the deceast John T., weaver *t.*

17. Andrew Gray, merchant, second son of the deceast William G., wright, burgess *g.*

John Thom and Thomas Cowts, servants to William, Earl Marischal, Lord Keith and Altrie *G.*

Andrew Willobie, barber and chirurgen to William, Earl Marischal *G.*

18. Walter Robertsone, eldest son of Walter R., baillie, a pupil *g.*

24. James Lesly, second son of George L., dean of guild, a pupil *g.*

1669.

Mar. 25. Lesly of Auchorsk *G.*

April 7. William Gibb, gardener, second son of the deceast William G., burgess *g.*

21. William Peiry, merchant, servant to James Byres, burgess *g.*

Robert Broune, butcher *t.*

22. Alan Catanach, tailor and servant to Charles Earl of Aboyne, at request of the said Earl *t.*

27. James Nairne, merchant, son of Andrew N., burges *g.*

19. Alexander Barclay, dyer, servant to George Sibbald, dyer, burgess *t.*

June 15. William Ord, yor. of Carneby, eldest son of Mr. William O., burgess *g.*

July 8. Thomas Boyes, eldest son of Thomas B., formerly thesr., and John Dune eldest son of the deceast Henry D., burgess *g.*

24. James Clerk, armorer, son of the deceast Thomas C., merchant, burgess, prenteis to the deceast William Cruikshank, armorer *t.*

30. Alexr. Blinshell, weaver, third son of John B., weaver *t.*

31. George Moriesone, eldest son of Walter M., burgess *g.*

Augt. 11. William Taylour, skipper, for good service done to this burgh during the war against the enemies of the kingdom *g.*

Alexander Phannes, tailor *t.*

12. James Gordon, merchant *g.*

William Dicksone, mariner, simple burgess, because of his willing vndertaking his maties. service at sea against the Hollanders in anno 1665.

20. George Gordone in Tillidoune *g.*

Patrick Gellie, eldest son of the deceast Patrick G., burgess; Alexander Burnett, eldest son of Robert B., senior; John Nicoll, eldest son of the deceast Robert N.; William Robertsone, eldest son of the deceast Mr. William R., minister at Banchorie; James Ritchie, eldest son of Alexander R., burgess *g.*

James Moir in Ferrihill, son of the deceast William M.; Alexander Gellie, second son of the deceast Patrick G., William Gellie, his third son; Thomas Leslie, third son of Patrick L. *g.*

Hugh Dune, son of the deceast Charles D., dyer, servant to the deceast John Ross, merchant *g.*

Sept. 4. William Forbes, baillie in Old Aberdeen, eldest son of the deceast John F., sometime baillie of Aberdeen *g.*

James Leslie, after he had renunceit his trad as being wright burges *g.*

1669.

Sept. 4. William Forbes, sone to the deceist Reverend father in God Forbes, Bishope of Edr. *g.*

8. Mr. Samuell Collins, doctor in phisick of the parish of Saint Martines in the feilds in the County of Midlesex, London, and Solomon Boltoun, gentleman, of the parish aforsaid *G.*

13. Mr. John Prestoune of Whythill, Justice depute *G.*

Williame Gordone, sone to John G. of Avachie and servant to Lord Harie Gordone of Auchindoune; David Denholme, servant to the sd. Mr. John Prestoune; and Robert , servant to Mr. John Forbes, sheriff deput of Aberdeinshyre *G.*

15. John Ritchie in Tarves, eldest sone to umqlle. George R., somtyme burges *g.*

John Clerk, baxter, prenteis to Androw Chopman, baxter *t.*

Octr. 11. George Pratt, messenger, ane of the serjand of the brughe, for good service *g.*

Thomas Andersone, toune serjand, for good service *g.*

1670.

Jany. 19. Patrick Bowman, merchant, married the daughter of a burgess *g.*

Feby. 9. William Gray, wright, eldest son of Patrick G., wright *t.*

16. John Norie, merchant, married the daughter of a craftsman. His fee of 200 merks was afterwards modified to 100 merks in respect of his death within one year after his admission. *g.*

Mar. 30. Alexander Hardie, wright, servant to Alexander Charles, wright, burgess *t.*

April 1. Sir Francis Scott of Thirlestone *G.*

Patrick Porteus, servant to the said Sir Francis; and George Hepburne, servant to Alexr. Bannerman of Elsick *G.*

18. James Guthrie, merchant, married the daughter of James Tosche, burgess *g.*

20. Mr. Mathew Mackaile, apothecary and chirurgon, admitted to practise his art *t.*

James Ragg, merchant, of Elgine, married daughter of a burgess *g.*

May 4. Alexander Gellane, flesher, second sone to Robert G., flesher. John G., his brother, is cautioner *t.*

Ludovick Coutts, son of Captain Adam C., at request of Alexander Bannerman of Elsick *g.*

6. Patrick Gordone, General in the service of the Emperor of Russia, Grand Duke of Muscovie *G.*

1670.

May 6. George Forbes, servant to Sir John Forbes of Watertoune, and Alexander Lumsden, servant to the said General Patrick Gordone *G.*

11. James Smith, blacksmith *t.*

Mr. Thomas Gray, one of the regents of the College Marischal, and third son of the deceast Mr. Thomas G., at one time provost *g.*

Mr. Patrick Gordone, professor of Humanity in King's College, third son of Alexander G. in Kethoksmillne *g.*

William Wedderburne, only son of the deceast Mr. William W., burgess *g.*

19. Henry Grahame, writer in Edinburgh *G.*

20. James Broune, advocate before the Supreme Courts *G.*

John Strachan, servant to the sd. James Broune *G.*

23. Robert Barclay of Vrie, younger, married the daughter of Gilbert Mollesone, one of the baillies of this burgh *g.*

24. George Farquhar, merchant, of Leith *g.*

30. Mr. Robert Skene, son of Robert S. of Tillibirla, burgess *g.*

June 16. George Murray, brother to the Earl of Elybank, and Inspector of the Army in Scotland; Sir John Byers of Coats; William Forbes of Camphell and John Lumsden of Carndae *G.*

Andrew Johnstoun, servant to the sd. George Murray *G.*

29. Alexr. Innes of Blairtoun, in consideration of good service done to the burgh *g.*

July 6. Alexander Ettershank, couper, eldest sone to Alexander E., couper, deacon convenier of the traids *t.*

7. Patrick Hay, advocate in Aberdeen *g.*

27. John Blair, baker *t.*

Augt. 18. John Turnor, merchant in the city of Przenorscenci in Polland *g.*

24. George Cruckshank, weaver, eldest son of James C., weaver, and Patrick Wilsone, weaver, eldest son of Edward W., weaver *t.*

Sept. 7. Allane Cattanach, taylor, at request of Charles, Earle of Aboyne *t.*

20. Mr. William Moir, advocat *g. j.*

George Mackie, servant to Mr. William Moir, for the love, favor and affectione the magistrats did bear to his said master *g.*

21. Mr. Alexr. Seatoune of Pitmedden *g. j.*

Thomas Brounley, servant to the sd. laird of Pitmedden *g.*

Mr. Robert Scott, minister.

22. Wm. Watsone, couper *t.*

23. Alexr. Skein of Dyce *g. j.*

1670.

Sept. 23. Alexander Burnett, eldest sone to Alexr. B., thesaurer; Androw, his second sone, and John, his third sone, pupils *g.*

David Forbes, sone to wmqll. John F., burgess *g.*

George Adam, advocat in Aberdein, married the daughter of a burges of gild *g.*

27. Mr. Robert Patersone, sone of John, Bishop of Rosse *g. j.*

Alexr. Bruce, servant to Alexr. Burnet, thesaurer, at his master's desire *g.*

Alexr. Fraser, servant to David Thomsone of Arlyhop, at desire of his master *g.*

William Rosse, writer in Aberdeen, at special request of Mr. James Kennedy, town clerk *g.*

James Martine, servant to Mr. Alexander Robertsone, toun clerk depute, at his master's request *g.*

Octr. 12. Patrick Norie, tailor, eldest sone of the deceast Patrick N., tailor, burgess *t.*

19. James Hay of Lumplum *G.*

21. James Nicolsone, third son of the deceast Thomas N. of Westhall, at one time baillie *g.*

Mr. Thomas Forbes, only son of Robert F. of Robslaw, one of the baillies *g.*

28. Thomas Leslie, third son of the deceast John L., at one time baillie *g.*

Novr. 9. Thomas Syme, taylour, second son of James S., taylour *t.*

23. William Keith, eldest son of Sir John K. of Keithhall, Marshal, pupil *G.*

James Balfour, servant to the said William Keith, and James George, servant to the said Sir John Keith *G.*

30. Alexander Andersone, eldest sone of the deceist William A., somtyme burges, married the daughter of a freeman *g.*

Alexr. Hutcheon, flesher *t.*

Decr. 7. Alexander Hall, only son of the deceast James H., simple burgess *g.*

Thomas Wilsone, burgess of Inverurie *g.*

John Kempt, indwellar *g.*

Alexander Lundie, dyer, indwellar *t.*

Thomas Smart, tailor, indwellar *t.*

Alexander Lumsden, indwellar *g.*

James Wood, indwellar, privilege to brew and vent aill, beir and acquavitie.

1671.

Jany. 4. Gilbert Gray in Old Aberdeen *g.*

11. John Wobster, cooper *t.*

Thomas Con, baker *t.*

18. Thomas Taylour in the toun of Seatoun *g.*

Alexander Watsone, simple burgess *g.*

25. James Hervie in Old Aberdeen *g.*

Feby. 15. Robert Lessell, glazeir—"he is to give in to the deane of gild ane glas window of good and courious work for the vse of the toune councell hous of such lenth and breedth and work as the deane of gild sall appoynt" *t.*

22. Robert Gray, taylour, atendar on the Toune's Hospitall—licence to brew and vent aill, beer and acquavitie.

Mar. 1. William Heriot, induellar, simple burgess.

2. John Couts, ane of the Baillies of Montrose *G.*

Mr. Alexander Cumeing of the Nether Mill of Crudene *g.*

April 15. George Cattanach, periwig maker, also with liberty to brew, vent and sell aill, beer and acquavitie *t.*

Mar. 29. John Nicolsone, elder, mariner *g.*

April 19. John Allerdes of Allerdes *G.*

27. Robert Andersone, factor of Campheir in Zealand *G.*

May 9. Sir John Lockhart of Castelhill, one of the Senators of the College of Justice and one of the Lords Commissioners of Justiciary *G.*

Mr. William Monypennie and Mr. James Hunter, Advocates before the Supreme Courts; Andrew Martine, Andrew Craick, Alexander Fraser, Writers in Edinburgh; Alexander Andersone, Advocate in Edinburgh *G.*

Mr. Charles Sinclair, servant to Sir James Foulis of Collintoun, one of the Senators of the College of Justice; Robert Watsone, servant to the sd. Sir John Lockhart; John Donaldsone, servant to the sd. Mr. William Monypennie; William Yeaman, also his servant; John Gilbersone, Findlay Broune, servants to the sd. Mr. James Hunter; William Broune, servant to the sd. Andrew Martine; Duncan Mackgrigor, Gilbert Mackewne, servants to the sd. Sir James Foulis; John Cucus and Anthony Meik, servants to the sd. Sir John Lockhart *G.*

John Cuming, trumpeter, and James Comrie, messenger and macer to the Justiciary Court *G.*

John Gordone of Park *G.*

1671.

May 9. Mr. Alexander Birnie, advocate before the Supreme Courts, son of the deceast Andrew B., burgess *g.*

24. Alexander Galloway, goldsmith, eldest son of the deceast John G., merchant, burgess *t.*

29. Charles, Earl of Haddingtoune, lord of Bining and Byres *G.*
John Hope of Hopetoun *G.*
Mr. James Smyth, servant to the sd. Earl, and John Mackgrigor, servant to the said laird of Hoptoune *G.*

31. Thomas Elphinstoune of Calderhall, Inspector General of the Army in Scotland; William E., his brother; Mr. James Elphinstoune, writer to the Signet, and Alexander Monteith, second son of William M. of Carriber *G.*
Alexander Urquhart, servant to Adam Urquhart of Meldrum, and Alexander Heige, servant to the sd. laird of Calderhall *G.*

June 21. James Gordone of Seatoun, Commissary Clerk of Aberdeen, married a daughter of Robert Forbes of Robslaw, one of the baillies *g.*
James Moncreiff, merchant in Edinburgh *G.*

28. John Nicol, merchant, at the special request of William Divvie, dean of guild *g.*

July 10. Alexander Milne, merchant, burgess of Linlithgo, and James Calder of Shirreff Milnes, merchant, burgess of Elgine *G.*
James Mackie, servant to the sd. Alexander Milne, and Alexander Ogilvie, servant to the sd. James Calder *G.*

19. Mr. David Lyndsay, eldest son of the deceast David L., burgess, minister at the church of Drumaick, and Alexander Smyth, eldest son of the deceast Hector S., burgess *g.*

Augt. 16. George Leslie, weaver, eldest son of the deceast John L., weaver *t.*

23. George Blinshell, tailor at Srathloch *t.*

28. Henry Wilkie of Bonetoune, Conservator of Scottish merchant privileges in Belgium *G.*
Alexander Jossie and John Stalker, servants to the sd. Henry Wilkie *G.*
Mr. Patrick Strachan [1]

Sept. 2. David Falkoner, eldest son of the deceased Sir John F., Master of the Mint in Scotland. *G.*

6. Arthur Chalmer, dyer, apprentice and servant to the deceast James Innes, dyer *t.*

14. Sir David Carnegie of Pitarrow *G.*

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1671.

Sept. 14. Paul Menzies, son of the deceast Sir Gilbert M. of Pitfoddells, and major under Alexis. Michaelidæ, monarch of all the Russias *G.*
Mr. Alexr. Leask, minister at the church of Cruden *G.*
James Cumeing of Brunthill; Mr. William Simsone and John Hay, servants to Gilbert, earl of Erroll *G.*
Walter Lyell, toun clerk of Montros *G.*
16. Andrew Miller, mariner *g.*
21. Patrick Divie, eldest son of William D., dean of guild *g.*
22. William Menzies of Pitfoddells *G.*
Robert Burnett of Lethintie, eldest son of Alexander B. of Countes-walls, at one time baillie *g.*
23. William Robertson, eldest son of the late William R., burgess *g.*
James Sumervell, hallkeeper of the King's Exchequer *G.*
26. Andrew Donaldson, second son of John D., Master of Kirkwork, a pupil *g.*
John Leslie, eldest son of Normand L., threasurer, a pupil *g.*
George Innes, servant to Mr. Robert Patrie of Portlethin, Provost *g.*
Octr. 2. Mr. Samuell Colvill *G.*
Decr. 6. Alexander Gordone.

1672.

Jany. 17. Alexander Thomsone, mariner *g.*
Alexander Mowat, weaver *t.*
25. Alexander [Forbes] an honourable youth, eldest son of Alexander, Lord Pitsligo *G.*
Patrick Shirres, John Cowan, William Mackmariage and Robert Innes, servants to George, Earl Marischal; Mr. John Forbes, servant to the said Alexander, Master of Pitsligo; and Mr. John Pattoun, servant to William Keith, son to Sir John Keith of Keith-hall *G.*
Feby. 1. Mr. Alexander Dalgardno, eldest son of Arthur D., burgess *g.*
7. James Scougall, son of Patrick, Bishop of Aberdeen *g.*
13. John Gavine, mariner *g.*
Mar. 5. George Gordon, eldest son of Thomas G., burgess *g.*
April 8. Patrick, earl of Kinghorne, Lord Lyon and Glamis; David Erskine of Dune; Captain William Middeltoun, brother to John, earl of Midltoune, Lord of Clarmount and Fettercairne; Mr. John Lammie of Dunkennie; Mr. Patrick Lyon, Advocote, and William Lyon of Esterogle *G.*

1672.

April 8. William Couper, chamberlain to the earl of Midletoune; John Troup, Patrick Cockburne, John Forsyth, James Sellar, James How, servants to the Earl of Kinghorne; John Stuart, John Martine, servants to the laird of Dune; George Gowan, servant to Mr. Patrick Lyone; William Black, servant to Mr. John Lammie; William Mitchell, servant to William Couper *G.*

10. Robert Weir, merchant, servant to George Gordone, merchant, burgess *g.*

Alexander Forbes, flesher, eldest son of James F., burgess *t.*

17. James Simpsone, merchant in Old Aberdeen *g.*

19. Alexander Strachan of Glenkindie *G.*

Alexander Strachan, younger of Glenkindie *G.*

John and George Stivins, servants to Alexander Strachan, elder of Glenkindie *G.*

12. John Gordon, eldest son of the late John G. of Braicklay, a pupil *G.*

James Ogilvie, brother to the laird of Aboyne *G.*

Alexander Dunbar, servant to George, Marquis of Huntly *G.*

William Gordon and Francis Lafleche, servants to the said Marquis *G.*

27. John Cruden, Lauchlane Ross, Andro Andersone, William Olifant, John Turreff, James Murray, George Reid, mariners; Alexander Wood, Robert and William Strachans, Magnus Wilsone, John Muttray and Alexander Hoy, all indwellers in the said burghe, simple burgesses, because of their willing vndertacking his Majesties service at sea against forrane enemies in this present service.

May 8. Patrick Walker, wright, son of the late Patrick W., burgess *t.*

William Scrimgeor, cooper, second son of William S., cooper *t.*

June 3. James Sinclar, younger of Seba, married a daughter of Andrew Skene, dean of guild *g.*

Andrew Skene, second son of Andrew S. of Ruthrestoune, dean of guild *g.*

Andrew Sinclar, brother of James S., younger of Seba *G.*

12. Alexander King, dyer, son of Alexander K. in Kinkaill *t.*

July 10. James Leynord, weaver, married daughter of a craftsman *t.*

17. Thomas Andersone, flesher, servant to Andrew Craigheid, flesher *t.*

27. Mr. James Sandielands of Craibstoune, eldest son of the late Mr. Thomas S. of Craibstoune, Commissary of Aberdein *g.*

1672.

Augt. 24. John Andersone, younger, eldest son of John A., skipper, burgess *g.*

31. Thomas Forrest and Andrew Yetts, merchants *g.*

Sept. 23. James Smith, gunsmith, "because he wes prenteis to Robert Lindsay, gunsmith and also in respect there being resting to him about fiftie merks Scots for his pains in dressing and oyling this Burghes militia companies armes, and also in respect he wes content to macke cleine and oyll the haill armes in the Towns comon magazine hous with all possible dilligence and to keep the same with the militia companies armes cleine for the space of tuo yeris heirafter without any payment therfor, the Magistrats always furnishing oyll and paying him for new work" *t.*

24. George Flieman, at request of Alexander, Lord Pitsligo *g.*

25. James Quesnell, son of James Q., merchant in France *G.*

27. Captain William Crichtoun.

Octr. 2. William Duncan, wright *t.*

John Hay, eldest son of the late Andrew H. of Keilor *G.*

Robert Gibsone, servant to the said John Hay; John Hay, John Beigrie and Andrew Cassie, servants to the earl of Erroll *G.*

Dècr. 5. William, Lord Forbes; Charles and James Seatouns, brothers to Alexander, earl of Dumfermleing, Lord of Fyvie; John Forbes of Leslie; Thomas Forbes of Eight, younger, and John Forbes of Balfluig *G.*

Mr. George Seatoune, minister at Fyvie; William Dumbar of Pethnick; William Forbes of Bandadle; and William Seatone at Hill of Pette *G.*

11. James Burnett, eldest son of the late Alexander B. of Shethocksley *g.*

1673.

Jany. 8. William Austien, under teacher to the late John Gormack, schoolmaster in this burgh *g.*

Feby. 26. Mr. John Dalgardno, licentiate in medicine, married daughter of the late Mr. Patrick Chalmer, at one time toun clerk of this burgh *g.*

George Hendersone in the village of Slains *g.*

Mar. 26. James Young, weaver, servant to Alexr. Gray, weaver *t.*

April 23. George Gray, wright, second son of Patrick G., wright, burgess *t.*

29. John Michael Philo, physician to the King, and Paul Philo, his son, a pupil *G.*

May 14. James Coupland, wright *t.*

21. William Livingstoune, son of David L. in Dunlop *g.*

1673.

May 23. William, Lord Keith, only son of George, earl Marischal—a pupil *G.*
30. Alexander Jack, baillie of Stirling, and John Watsone, thesaurer of the said burgh *G.*

June 11. James Stewart, merchant, at special request of George, Marquis of Huntlie *g.*
13. Samvil Forbes, eldest sone to Mr. Alexander F. of Ardo *g.*
18. Thomas Marshall, baker *t.*
19. John Leslie, eldest son of Gilbert L., burgess, a pupil *g.*
Leonard Leslie, second son of said Gilbert L., a pupil *g.*

July 14. Robert Stewart, factor at Burdeaux, son of James S., at one time provost of Edinburgh *G.*

Augt. 13. James Yeats, merchant, servant to the late Dr. Alexr. Jaffray, eldest son of the late Alexr. Jaffray of Kingswalls, at one time provost *g.*
Mr. Colin Mackenzie, advocate before the Supreme Courts, and George Mckenzie, Commissary of the diocese of Murray *G.*
18. Patrick Bulter, senior of Gormack, and John Bulter, junior of Gormack *G.*
23. John Falconer of Balifoord, principal keeper of the Mint; Robert Falconer, son of the late John F., at one time principal keeper of the Mint; William Carnegie, writer to the Signet, and Mr. Patrick Falconer, writer, Edinburgh *G.*

Sept. 8. John Barbor, merchant in Inverness *g.*
Alexander Aberdein, second son of Andrew A., merchant, burgess *g.*
George Patton, advocat in Aberdeen, married daughter of a burgess of guild *g.*
9. Sir Alexander Hope of Wester Corse; Mr. Edward Wright, advocate; Mr. William Gordone, writer to the Signet *G.*
11. John Wobster, eldest son of James W., merchant, burgess, a pupil *g.*
18. Mr. Patrick Sandilands of Cottoune, eldest son of the late Mr. James S., at one time toun clerk *g.*
John Sandilands, second son of the said Mr. James S. *g.*
John Gordon, junior, married daughter of a burgess of guild *g.*
Walter Simsone, induellar in Aberdeen, simple burgess.
Thomas Chalmer, son to the deceast John C., wheelwright, burgess, simple burgess.
Andrew Cuthbert, eldest son of the late William C., burgess *g.*
20. David Ædie, Treasurer of the burgh *g. j.*

1673.

Sept. 20. Archibald Chessor, son of the late William C., burgess, at special request of Alexander Bruce, toun clerk depute *g.*
George Ædie, second son of the late George Æ., burgess *g.*
23. Thomas Mortimer, eldest son of the late Thomas M. of Hislehead, at one time baillie *g.*
Patrick Burnet, son of Alexander B., at one time dean of guild, a pupil *g.*
William Straquhan, son of Patrick S., merchant, burgess *g.*
John Johnstoune, servant to Thomas Mitchell, sometime ballie of Aberdeen *g.*
Alexander Farqr., merchant in Fraserburgh *g.*
George Willox, merchant in Crombartie *g.*
Octr. 17. Mr. Alexr. Skene, professor of Philosophy in University of St. Andrews *G.*
20. William Prestoune of Wallefeild *G.*
Novr. 8. Andrew Jaffray, eldest son of the late Alexr. J. of Kingswalls, sometime provost, and John Skene, eldest son of James S., burgess *g.*
James Jaffray, second son of the said Alexander J. *g.*
26. William Watsone, couper, re-admitted *t.*
Decr. 3. Alexr. Fraser, merchant in Fraserbrughe *g.*

1674.

Jany. 28. James Allan, dyer *t.*
Feby. 4. Andrew Hay, baker *t.*
25. John Norie, second son of the late Patrick N., tailor, burgess *t.*
April 23. Mr. Andro Skene, Parson at Turreff; Mr. William Fraser, Minister at Slains; George Strachan, servant to the Earle of Erroll; Wm. Hay, in the said Brugh; James Mathewsone, George Auchinleck, Alexander Cardno and Robert Pittindreich, servants to the lairds of Vdny and Watertoune.
29. Andrew Hutchon, merchant, married daughter of a burgess of guild *g.*
John Duncan, flesher *t.*
John Andro, flesher *t.*
May 13. David Marr, merchant in Kincardin, at special request of Charles, Earl of Aboyne *g.*
Alexander Taylour, merchant in this burgh—his father and himself served in the burgh *g.*
Alexr. Bruce, baker in the burgh of Edinburgh *t.*
June 9. Alexander Gordon, servant to Mr. Alexander Patton of Kinaldie, at his special request *g.*

1674.

June 10. Thomas Kennoway in Calder *G.*

24. Gilbert Walker, tailor *t.*

William Porter, tailor *t.*

Thomas Walker, wright *t.*

James King, wright *t.*

July 15. Andrew Corner, toun clerk of Kirkwall *G.*

Augt. 15. John Colinsone, eldest son of the late John C., burgess; John Gordone, eldest sone of Alexandar G., dean of guild; Walter Gordone, eldest sone of the late Walter G.; William Donaldsone, eldest son of Duncan D.; John Allardes, eldest son of John A.; William Meldrum, son of the late Archibald M., and Alexr. Kellie, eldest son of Vidast K., all burgesses of this burgh *g.*

James Reid, second son of the late Mr. James R. of Barra, burgess *g.*

William Pratt, second son of George P., king's messenger, and one of the serjands *g.*

28. Mr William Thomsone, Writer to the Signet *G.*

Mr. William Thomsone, only son of the said Mr. William T. *G.*

Alexander Crawfuird, merchant of Edinburgh *G.*

Thomas Thomesone, only son of the late David T. of Fairliehope, burgess *G.*

David Thomesone, servant to Mr. William Thomesone, Writer to the Signet *G.*

29. James Stevinson, weaver *t.*

Sept. 9. James, Marquis of Montrose, Earl of Kincardyne, Lord Graham and Baron of Muckdock *G.*

Sir Thomas Burnet of Leyes; Thomas Graham of Monorgan; Thomas Graham of Balgowen; Patrick Graham, brother to the laird of Inchbrackoe; Patrick Grahame of Boupwhaple; Robert Grahame, brother to the laird of Brakoe; Robert Grahame of Cairnie; Mr. Robert Burnet, son of the late Sir Alexander B. of Leyes; Mr. John Bell of Dunsysten; Mr. James Carnegie, minister at Abirbrothock; James Pollock, writer in Edinburgh *G.*

Mr. Robert Cunningham, Mr. Arthur Forbes, servants to the said Marquis, and Robert Innes, servant to George, Earl Marischal, &c. *G.*

12. James Chalmer, son of the late Mr. William C., minister at Skene *g.*

John Forbes, married daughter of a burgess *g.*

James Walker, merchant, at special request of Alexander Alexander, one of the baillies *g.*

1674.

Sept. 12. William Gerrard, servant to Robert Gerrard, merchant, burgess *g.*
Thomas Forbes, at request of Robert Forbes of Robslaw, provost *g.*
Thomas Forbes, second son of John F., senior, burgess *g.*
Robert Davidsone, baker *t.*
Alexander Patersone, eldest son of the late Alexander P., armorer, burgess *t.*
21. Robert Lorimer, merchant, brother to James L., Master of the Hospital of this burgh *g.*

Novr. 11. Alexander Rag, merchant in Elgin, married daughter of a burgess *g.*

1675.

Jany. 31. Simon Fraser of Inverallachie *G.*

Feby. 10. John Ritchie, servant to John Gordone, senior, burgess, at request of the said John Gordone, sometime Master of Hospital *g.*
James Walker, merchant, married daughter of a burgess of guild *g.*
Kenneth Mackenzie, eldest son of Kenneth, Earl of Seaforth, Lord McKenzie; Peter Fraser, son of Alexander F., physician to the King, pupil; John Backwell, son of Edward B., alderman of London *G.*
Mr. George Fraser, governor to the said Kenneth McKenzie; Mr. James Innes, tutor to the said John Backwell; Mr. Alexander Ramsay, governor to the said Peter Fraser; Robert Fodringhame, chirurgeon, servant to the said Alexander Fraser; and James Mackenzie, servant to the said Kenneth Mackenzie *G.*

Mar. 4. Roderick Mackenzie of Kinquhillidrham, brother to Kenneth, Earl of Seaforth; Murdoch McKenzie of Ardrosse; Ronald Baine of Clock Baine *G.*
William, Master of Forbes, eldest son of William, Lord Forbes *G.*
George Leith, servant to the said Roderick Mackenzie; Hugh Loggie and Ludovick Tulloch, servants to the Earl of Seaforth *G.*
Walter, Lord Deskfurd, eldest son of James, Earl of Findlator, lord Deskfurd; James Ogilvie, his second son, and Mr. Patrick Innes, student in Divinity *G.*
17. Andrew Kinneir, merchant, married daughter of a burgess of guild *g.*
William Rickart, eldest son of the late John R., burgess *g.*

April 14. John Hedderweik, flesher *t.*
28. James Thomsone, shoemaker, married daughter of a burgess of guild *t.*

May 12. William Milne, grandson of James Milne, merchant, burgess *g.*
19. Alexander Marr, merchant, married daughter of a burgess *g.*

1675.

May 27. William Dalgardno, dyer, married daughter of a dyer burgess *t.*
Mr. James Elphinstoune, Writer to the Signet *g.*

June 2. William Ferguson, dyer *t.*

6. Mr. Alexander Hay, apothecary *g. j.*

14. Mr. James Robertsone, eldest son of the late James R., merchant *g.*

22. Patrick Cruikshank, only son of the late Alexander C., merchant, burgess *g.*

23. John Dempster, perieweiker and barbor, with liberty also to brew, vent and sell aill, beir and aquavite *t.*

July 15. Mr. James Keith of Auchosk, Writer to the Signet, married daughter of a burgess of guild *g.*

31. James, Earl of Pearth, Lord Drumond, Seneschal of Strathern and Balqubadder; John Drumond of Logie Almond; James Drumond of Comrie; David Drumond of Inverinan; John Drumond of Pittkellone; and James Drumond of Culwhalzie *G.*

Augt. 8. James Milne, doctor of medicine, and Mr. Alexander Milne, minister at Glasgow *G.*

Sept. 13. Alexander Andersone, eldest son of the late John A. of Bourtie, burgess *g.*

18. John Clerk, merchant, son of the late George C. of Crawley *g.*

25. Alexander Hamiltoune, merchant in Edinburgh, and Mr. John Findlay, procurator fiscal to the Commissariot of Edinburgh *G.*

Octr. 1. Mr. Robert Meldrum, son of the late Andrew M. of Iden, at one time baillie of this burgh, and David Meldrum, son of Major Thomas M., burgess, a pupil *g.*

6. William Couts, wright *t.*
James Colinsone, cooper, servant to William Thomsone, cooper[1] *t.*
George Sime, cooper *t.*

13. Arthur Crystie, glover, one of the militia company of the toune *t.*
Andrew Gibsone, glover, one of the militia company *t.*
James Peirie, couper *t.*

28. William Smytoune, one of the baillies of Kinghorne, married a daughter of John Duncan, formerly baillie of this burgh *g.*

Novr. 24. John Speed, indwellar, married daughter of a burgess *g.*

Decr. 22. Peter Crystie, son of William C., indwellar *g.*

[1] "The sd. James Colinsone judiciallie gave his oath not to concurr in the actione of the traides agt. the brethren of gild relating to their annulling of the decreit arbitrall in 1587." This obligation was exacted from all craftsmen at this date.

1676.

Jany 19. Duncan Forbes, second son of the late John F., burgess *g.*
John Fergusone, merchant, burgess of Inverurie *g.*
George Willox, junior, merchant *g.*
26. William Cuming, merchant *g.*
Mar. 1. Alexander Marshell, flesher *t.*
John Gellan, flesher *t.*
15. Mr. George Seatone, second son of the late William S. of Reniestoun, married daughter of a burgess of guild *g.*
Alexander Gilruith, merchant, at request of George Skene of Fintray *g.*
April 5. John Glenny, tailor *t.*
26. John Grahame, Postmaster General in Scotland *G.*
May 6. James Cockburne of Cockburne; Robert Milne, formerly provost of Linlithgow; Henry Elphingston, son of Sir Thomas E. of Calderhall, and John Maitland, collector of the King's duties and excise *G.*
17. Mr. Nicolas Black, son of the late John B., burgess *g.*
31. George Gray, flesher *t.*
June 20. Andrew Burnet *g.*
Augt. 11. Richard Maitland, eldest son of Charles, Lord Haltoun, Secretary to the King's Council, also depute Treasurer; Robert Raitt of Snatoun, formerly provost of Montrose; Francis Ogilvie, son of Francis O. of New Graing; James Fletcher, architect to the King, and Peter Bruce, architect *G.*
Archibald Mcqueen, servant to the said Richard Maitland; James Leask and Andrew Oliphant, also his servants; Patrick Ogilvie, servant to John Falconer of Haliefeild; James Gordon, servant to the said John (James) Fletcher, and George Smith, servant to the sd. Robert Rait *G.*
John Thomesone, merchant, married daughter of a burgess of guild *g.*
16. Sir Andrew Ramsay of Abotshall, Secretary to the King's Council *G.*
23. Alexander Troup, son of Alexander T., saddler, burgess *g.*
Sept. 16. Alexander Strachan, merchant of Brechin *g.*
George Scougall, son of S. in *g.*
18. David Murray, merchant *g.*
21. George Skene, son of S. in , for special favour to George Skene of Fintray *g.*
Alexander Cuming, merchant of this burgh *g.*
Thomas Burnett of Clerkseat *g.*

1676.

Sept. 22. Alexander Ogilvie, indwellar, by special request of the dean of guild *g.*
John Licklie, indwellar, by special request of the dean of guild *g.*
John Leslie, weaver, eldest son of L., weaver *t.*
25. James Rolland, eldest son of James R. of Disblair, burgess, and Robert Seton, eldest son of John S., burgess, both pupils *g.*
Gilbert Moir, second son of William M., doctor of medicine; George Leslie, third son of George L., one of the baillies; John Seton, second son of the above John S., and William Rolland, second son of the above James R., pupils *g.*
26. John Mollesone, second son of Gilbert M., one of the baillies; Gilbert Black, second son of Gilbert B., one of the baillies; George Gordon, second son of Alexander G., also one of the baillies, pupils *g.*
George Alexander, second son of the late Mr. John A., advocate, burgess *g.*
Robert Clerk, third son of the late Alexander C., weaver, burgess *g.*
James Chirnsyde, servant to Mr. Alexander Patton of Kinaldie, at request of his master *G. g.*
Novr. 8. Alexander Innes, baker, son of Alexander I., baker, burgess *t.*
22. William MackLeud, measone in the burgh, licence to brew and sell aill, beir and aquavite during all the days of his lyftyme.
28. James Forbes, baker *t.*
Decr. 5. James Gordone, eldest son of John G., senior, burgess *g.*
6. Ritchard Sharpe, fermorer in the burgh, simple burgess.

1677.

Jany. 10. George Mathewsone,[1] merchant *g.*
24. George Robertsone, miller, married daughter of a craftsman *g.*
31. James Milne, grandson of James M., merchant, burgess, cautioner William M., brother to the sd. James *g.*
Alexander Smith, eldest son of the late William S. in Gilcomstoune *g.*
Feby. 7. Robert Cuming, son of Walter C., in *g.*
James Milne, tailor, son of William M., tailor, burgess *t.*
Mar. 14. Robert Cuming, burgess of Bamff and Elgin *g.*
Thomas Barrie, shoemaker, was journeyman to Alexander Idle, shoemaker *t.*
28. John Smith, shoemaker, son to the late Thomas S., shoemaker *t.*
Gilbert Murray, tailor *t.*

[1] 6 Feb., 1678.—This act is cassit and annullit in respect of the reasons in the Act of Council of this date.

1677.

April . William Wallace, Writer to the Signet, and in Edinburgh — Wallace, Writer *G.*

May 15. William Collie, shoemaker, son of the late Alexander C., shoemaker, burgess *t.*

June 20. John Robertsone, dyer *t.*
Thomas Mitchell, dyer *t.*

July 18. James Alexander, tailor *t.*

Augt. 22. Alexander Forbes, son of William F. of Tombege, was journeyman to a burgess of guild *g.*

Sept. 12. Henry, Earl of Norwich, Great Marshall of England, and head of the family of Howard; Thomas and George Howard, his sons, and George Kempt, tutor to the said George Howard *G.*
Patrick Buchannan, Edward Blackburd, Robert Winter and Solomon Archer, servants to the said Earl *G.*

13. John Burnett, eldest son of the late Andrew B., at one time of Durris *g. j.*

19. Robert Burnett, Writer to the Signet *G.*

Octr. 10. James Hay, perieweik macker in the burgh, with the liberty of brewing and venting aill, beir and aquavite *t.*
John Crystie, tailor, married daughter of a craftsman *t.*

1678.

April 10. Alexander Orem, merchant *g.*

24. John Mather, sailor *g.*
Hugh Shipherd, indwellar *g.*

May 1. John Pirie, sailor *g.*

22. Alexander Gordone, merchant in the burgh, because in 1650 he did goe to Vorcester in Ingland as ane souldier for this brughe for the king's service *g.*

23. Mr. John Alexander, eldest son of the late Mr. John A., toun clerk *g. j.*

June 5. Robert Fettes, dyer *t.*
John Davidson, indweller *g.*

July 8. Segerus Goris, M.A., son of Trelimani G., merchant, Rotterdam *G.*

17. Alexander Leddinghame, weaver *t.*

Augt. 21. John Marr, weaver *t.*
Henry Stuart *t.*
William Scott, ane of the cariers at the shore, admittit frie to brew and sell beir, aill and aquavite.

1678.

Augt. 21. John Robb, indweller, admittit to brew and sell aill, &c.

Sept. 21. Patrick Morresone, indweller, married daughter of a burgess of guild *g.*
James Collie *g.*
William Law, indweller, formerly had licence to brew, &c. *g.*
John Wobster, indweller *g.*
Alexander Jaffray, indweller, licence to brew and sell aill, &c.
David Ord, indwellar, licence to brew and sell aill, &c.
Thomas Melvill, indweller, licence to brew and sell aill, &c.

24. George Stewart, servant to John Cushney, dean of guild *g.*
Mr. James Burnet, apothecary, servant to Mr. Mathew Mackaile, apothecary *t.*

Octr. . George Moir, milwright in the burgh, licence to brew and sell aill, &c.

Novr. 6. William Durrie, shoemacker in the burgh; in respect he wes for himself to macke no further vse of the said friedome but for mackeing of pumps and single sollit shoes which the fremen of the Toune did not ordinarlie mack, but prejudice always to any of his children mackeing vse of the sd. traide as other fremens sons therof *t.*

1679.

Jany. 8. William Bartlett, servant to Christian Robertsone (relict of the deceist George Wilsone, burgess) *g.*

Mar. 12. Andrew Chalmer in Beildestoune *g.*
Alexander Gordone, son of Adam G., burgess, now in Camphell *g.*

19. James Murray, burgess of Montrose, married daughter of a burgess of guild *g.*

April 21. Mr. Gilbert Lorimer, merchant, London *G.*

May 8. Alexander Ogilvie of Forglen and William Robertson, writer in Edinburgh *G.*
Charles Falconer, servant to David Falconer of Newtoune, one of the Senators of the College of Justice; Thomas Taite, also one of his servants, and John Arbuthnet, servant to Alexander Seton of Pitmeden, also one of the Senators of the College of Justice *G.*

17. Joseph Yockny, englishman *G.*

28. John Forbes, son of John F. in Elrick, married daughter of a burgess of guild *g.*

30. John Thomson, son to the deceist Alexander T., advocate *g. j.*

July 6. William Aberdein, flesher, eldest son of the late Alexander A., weaver, burgess *t.*

1679.

July 6 Captain William Macky of *G.*

Sept. 8. Mr. William Lauder, writer in Edinburgh; Mr. Robert Colt, advocate, and Mr. John Lauder, writer in Edinburgh *G.*

10. Alexander Simson, servant to Charles Dune, burgess, and formerly dean of guild *g.*

George Craw, weaver, eldest son of Alexander C., weaver, burgess *t.*

18. Captain James Robertsone, eldest son of the late Alexander R., formerly baillie *g.*

19. James, Lord of Doune; Charles Stewart, son of the Earl of Murray, and General John Balfoure *G.*

Sebastian Coline Barthelott, servant to the said lord of Doune *G.*

22. Cornelius Van Weede, merchant of Hamburgh *G.*

23. Mr. John Johnstoune, son of George J. of Overtoune of Dyce *g.*

James Farquhar of Litle Catie, chamberlain of the burgh *g.*

Alexander Mitchell, servant to Andrew Mitchell, dean of guild *g.*

26. David Edgar of Kethock *G.*

Octr. 1. John Watsone, tailor *t.*

8. Patrick Scott, goldsmith, fourth son of the late William S., wright, burgess *t.*

Andrew Peirie, tailor *t.*

15. Alexander Scott, glover *t.*

George Gordon, tailor, married daughter of a craftsman *t.*

27. David Ferne, servant to Sir James Dalrymple of Stair, President of the Supreme Court, Edinburgh *G.*

1680.

Jany. 15. Robert Anderson, currier, for currieing of ledder *t.*

John Keith, merchant in Dantigek *G.*

Feby. 28. David Rosse in Kindrimies *g.*

Mar. 26. Captain James Irvine of Bounche *G.*

29. Thomas Leichintoun *G.*

April 2. Thomas Sandilands, eldest son of Mr. James S. of Crabstone—a pupil *g. j.*

23. Alexander, Earl of Murray, lord Downe and Abernethie; James Stewert, son of the said earl; William Mackintoish, brother to the Macintoish; Donald Mackintoish of Kelychie; Alexander Chisoum, sheriff depute of Invernes, and John Forester of Baeranald *G.*

28. Alexander Whyt, son of William W. at the Mill of Auchterles *g.*

1680.

May 3. John Gordon, factor of Camveer, second son of John G., senior, merchant, burgess *g.*

18. Mr. George Peacock, one of the regents of the College Marischal, eldest son of the late Robert P., burgess *g.*

15. Richard Elphingstoune of Airth, Inspector General of the Forces in Scotland, and Captain Alexander Vrquhart, brother to the laird of Meldrum *G.*

James Nisbett, servant to the said Richard Elphinstone *G.*

June 9. Adam Mark, wright *t.*

16. Andrew Hardie, litster—cautioner Robert Hardie, merchant, his brother *t.*

July 3. Mr. Alexander Gregorie, minister at the church of St. Quivox, married daughter of a burgess of guild *G.*

Augt. 25. Andrew Alexander, merchant in Rochelle, France *G.*

Sept. 17. Robert Menyes at the milne of Gelcomstoun, eldest son of the deceast Andrew M., burgess *g.*

William Ferrar, writer in the burgh, married a burgess' daughter *g.*

William Baverlie, taileor *t.*

21. Alexander Leslie, merchant, married a daughter of a burgess of guild *g.*

John Forbes, merchant in the burgh, at special request of Alexander Alexander, one of the baillies *g.*

Arthur Forbes, merchant in the burgh *g.*

Octr. 12. John Gordon, subcenturio, grandson of Colonel Patrick G. *G.*

22. William Panton, servant to Alexander Setone of Pitmedden, one of the Senators of the College of Justice *G.*

Novr. 10. Thomas Mathieson, weaver *t.*

11. John, lord Erskine, eldest son of Charles, Earl of Marr, lord Erskine and Gareoch *G.*

John Keirie of Gogar *G.*

Decr. 9. Alexander Pyper, son of the late Andrew P. in Fordyce *g.*

10. Henry Pantone, eldest son of the late Henry P. of Bogholl, merchant, burgess *g.*

Robert Pantone, second son to the said late Henry P., pupil *g.*

22. John Archbald, son of William A. in Lonehead of Gelcomstoun *g.*

1681.

Jany. 12. Robert Hoge, tailor *t.*

David Archbald, flesher *t.*

19. John Innes, merchant, re-admitted *g.*

1681.

Feby. 9. John Leith, baker, eldest son of the deceist John L., baker *t.*
John Kennedy, indweller, simple burgess.

Mar. 2. Alexander Marnoch, sailor, married daughter of a burgess of guild *g.*

May 4. Adam Gordon, cooper, eldest son of Adam G., cooper, burgess *t.*
Robert Stiven, couper, son to Robert S., simple burgess *t.*
Alexander Schand, couper, son to S. in , servant to James Schand, couper, his brother *t.*

25. Alexander King, cooper *t.*
James Hendrie, smith, married daughter of a burgess *t.*

28. Gordone of Glenbucket; Alexander Burnet of Cragmyll; James Gordon of Davach, and Patrick Gordone, son of Patrick G. of Nethermuire *G.*

30. George Milne, servant to Mr. William Moir of Hiltoun, advocate, at special request of his master *g.*

June 4. Captain James Fountaine *G.*

8. John Murray, glover, at the request of David Aidy, one of the baillies *t.*

Augt. 13. William Coikburne, merchant, burgess of Edinburgh, and David Ferguson, merchant, burgess of Air *G.*

26. Alexander Elphingston, son of James E. of Glack *g.*

29. Thomas Meldrum, Colonel under Christian V., King of Denmark and Norway *G.*
James Seton, son of the late Mr. William S., minister at Logie, and John Seton, son of the late James S., at one time of Mounie *G.*
Mr. Alexander Meldrum, son of the late Mr. George M., minister at Fintray, and Mr. Robert Alexander, minister at Tongland, son of the late Alexander A., senior, burgess *g. j.*

Sept. 20. James Webster, second son of James W., Master of Hospital of this burgh, a pupil *g.*

27. Alexander Jamesone, servant of George Leslie, one of the baillies *g.*

Decr. 23. Thomas Innes in Egie, chamberlain to George, Earl of Panmure in the lands of Belhelvie *g.*

1682.

Feby. 8. Richard Maitlane, merchant *g.*
Gregory Maikgrigor, indweller, married daughter of a craftsman *g.*

Mar. 7. Alexander Campbell, merchant in Amsterdam *G.*
James Farquhar, eldest son of Alexander F., merchant, burgess *g.*

22. John Currie, shoemaker *t.*

29. William Dickson, shoemaker *t.*

1682.

April 10. Charles Murray of Hadden; David Murray of Clarden, and Andrew Hay, king's customer at Montrose *G.*
Augustus Sutherland and John Fraser, servants to the said Charles Murray, and James Murray, servant to the said David Murray *G.*
12. John Robertson, eldest son of the late George R., shoemaker, burgess *t.*
19. Robert Watt, merchant *g.*
Thomas Donaldson, merchant *g.*
May 3. Arthur Sunson, shoemaker *t.*
4. Mr. William Blair, one of the ministers of the burgh *g.*
Mr. John Findlator, Schoolmaster of the Grammer School of this burgh, eldest son of the late Alexander F., burgess *g.*
10. Alexander George, eldest son of Alexander G., smith, burgess *t.*
George Lintoun, cooper *t.*
24. Hugh Kempt, eldest son of the late George K., machine maker, burgess *t.*
James Robertson, wright *t.*
John Adam, weaver *t.*
Alexander Moor, buikmaiker, onlie son of the deceist Alexander M., buikmaiker, burgess *t.*
29. Mathew Lumsden, eldest son of Matthew L., burgess *g.*
June 21. John Crage, baker, eldest son of the late Walter C., baker, burgess *t.*
July 18. George Moreson of Pitfower, eldest son of George M. of Pitfower, burgess *g.*
Augt. 7. Robert Douglas, merchant in Edinburgh *g. j.*
16. Patrick Whyt, servant to Alexander Moor, hookmaiker, burgess *t.*
James King, wright *t.*
Sept. 5. Mr. Patrick Dune, docter of medicine *g.*
20. Mr. Alexander Meldrum, son of John M. of Auchmull *g.*
Robert Mackombie, indweller *g.*
Patrick Anderson, tailor *t.*
26. Alexander Walker, eldest son of Alexander W., dean of guild, a pupil *g.*
William Lunan, servant to Robert Gerrard, merchant, burgess *g.*
James Paull, merchant *g.*
Octr. 11. James Wright, wright, married daughter of a craftsman *t.*
12. George, Bishop of Aberdeen; John Haliburton, his son; Mr. Alexander Sympsone, minister at Navarr; Mr. James Patone, minister at Kattins; Mr. William Ratray, minister at Cargill; Mr. Adam Hay, minister at Mountwheitter; William Pantoun, writer to the Signet *G.*

1682.

Octr. 12. Mr. David Ogilvie, Lauchlan Couper and William Mackie, servants to the said Bishop *G.*
William Laying, Economus of King's College, at request of the said Bishop *G.*
23. John Gordon, junior of Nethermuir; James Gordon and Henry Licklie, servants to Sir George Gordon of Haddo, High Chancellor of Scotland *G.*
Novr. 1. John Cushney, indweller, whose progenitors were burgesses of guild of this burgh *g.*
William Strachan, shoemaker *t.*
Alexander Leonard, flesher *t.*
3. John Whytfoord of Milnetowne *G.*
8. James Duguid, son of Francis D. of Auchinhove *g.*
Alexander Bartlet, son of William B. in Robslaw *g.*
16. George Gordon, eldest son of Sir George G. of Haddo, High Chancellor of Scotland; Thomas Forbes of Wattertoun; John and William Forbes, his brothers *G.*
Mr. Charles Gordon, fellow student with the said George Gordon *G.*
William Urquhart, servant to Adam Urquhart of Meldrum; William Bruce, servant to James Gordon, younger of Lesmore *G.*

1683.

Jany. 5. Mr. Patrick Chalmer, doctor of medicine *g.*
10. William Lyall, shoemaker *t.*
27. Kenneth Mackenzie of Siddie; William Hay, lieutenant; Robert Dalyell, Walter Abercrombie and John Boggie *G.*
30. George Farquhar, eldest son of George F., shoemaker, burgess *t.*
Feby. 14. William Milne, tailor *t.*
21. John Smith, merchant *g.*
Mar. 14. Andrew Broune, tailor *t.*
19. Patrick Forbes (generosus juvenis), eldest son of the late Patrick F. of Gardinestoun *G.*
28. James Henderson, weaver *t.*
May 2. Alexander Gibb, shoemaker *t.*
9. Gilbert Anderson, merchant *g.*
23. Gilbert Catto, servant to John Souper, merchant, burgess *g.*
John Urquhart, indweller, one of the militia of this burgh *g.*
Alexander Burnet, cooper *t.*
Thomas Smith, shoemaker *t.*

1683.

June 6. Patrick Davidson, baker *t.*

July 6. Charles, Lord of Carnegie, and John Carnegie of Cookstoun *G.*
Mr. James Carnegie, John Stretoun, servants to the said Charles, Lord Carnegie; Mr. William Miller, servant to William, Lord Keith *G.*

Augt. 14. Alexander Meassone, baker *t.*

25. Andrew Thomson, advocate in Aberdeen, married daughter of the late William Divvie, formerly one of the baillies of the burgh *g.*

Sept. 17. Arthur Vdnie, merchant, burgess of Edinburgh, son of the late John V. of Vdnie *g. j.*

19. Patrick Gellie, son of the late Mr. John G., formerly minister at Kinkell *g.*

25. James Gordon, son of John G. at the mill of Bourtie *g.*
Andrew Moir, merchant, son of William M. in Broombrae, at request of George Aidie, dean of guild *g.*

Octr. 10. Thomas Maine, bower, onlie son of William M., bower, burgess *t.*

17. George Mackenzie of Tarbitt, clerk to the register and rolls; Kenneth Mackenzie, his son; Sir John Mackenzie of Mackenzie, and Robert Innes, baillie of Forterose *G.*
Charles Hay, servant to the said George Mackenzie *G.*

24. Andrew Neill, shoemaker *t.*

Decr. 12. Robert, Viscount of Arbuthnot, Lord Inverbervie; and Alexander Skene of Skene *G.*
David Rait, servant to the said Viscount Arbuthnot *G.*

13. Alexander Kerr of Mennie, only son of the late Robert K. of Mennie, burgess *g.*

1684.

Mar. 20. Ludovick, Lord Grant of Freuchrie; Patrick Grant of Wester Elchies; John Grant of Easter Elchies; Arthur Sinclair of House; Mr. Alexander Grant, Sheriff clerk of Murray; James Grant, son to Robert G., of Easter Elchies *G.*

April 16. James Douglas, baker *t.*

18. William Turner, son of John T. of Kinmunitie *G.*

25. Robert Gordon, only son of the late Mr. Arthur G., advocate, a pupil *g.*

May 14. James Irvine, indwellar, married daughter of the late Thomas Mortimer, formerly baillie *g.*
William Blachrie, merchant *g.*

1684.

May 28. James Pratt, tailor, at request of Alexander Gordon, one of the baillies *t.*
John Gillmore, shoemaker *t.*
July 16. Andrew Baird, shoemaker *t.*
30. William Scott, servant to George, Earl of Aberdein, in respect of the favour borne to the said Earl *g.*
Augt. 13. James Lesly, son of the late William L. of Harthill *g.*
Sept. 10. Andrew Leith, merchant *g.*
Alexander Simson, merchant *g.*
John Mitchell, tailor *t.*
16. George Drumond of Blair and James Hay, Writer to the Signet *G.*
20. Mr. James Balfoure, advocate *G.*
Mr. James Boyes, advocate *g. j.*
Andrew Kidd, under captain in George, earl of Dumbartoune's Company *G.*
22. John Forbes, eldest son of the late Robert F., merchant, burgess *g.*
John Duffe, king's messenger *g.*
23. Alexander Smith, son of William S., at the Mill of Gourdes, at request of Mr. George Setone, dean of guild *g.*
James Scot, wright, son of Alexander S., barber, burgess *t.*

1685.

Feby. 18. Andrew Durie, shoemaker, eldest son of William D., burgess *t.*
Robert Cruickshank, wright *t.*
21. Mr. Æneas Mckpherson of Inversse, advocate, Sheriff depute of Aberdeen *G.*
Mar. 2. James Davidson, second son, by the first marriage, of Mr. Alexander D., of Newtoun, advocate *g. j.*
George Davidson, eldest son, by the second marriage, of Mr. Alexander D. of Newtoun, advocate—a pupil *g. j.*
George Melvill, second son of Captain George M., burgess *g.*
4. John Duff, shoemaker *t.*
April 3. Innes.
8. Alexander Galloway, goldsmith, burgess, renounced his trade burgessship and admitted burgess of guild *g.*
17. James Gordon of Daach, eldest son of the late James G. of Daach *g. j.*
John Bruce, eldest son of the late Alexander B., merchant, burgess *g.*
June 3. George Walker, goldsmith *t.*
James Black, saddler, son of Nathaniel B., saddler, burgess *t.*
John Black, smith *t.*

1685.

June 3. Gilbert Galloway, merchant *g.*

10. Greniveill Collines, captain of the King's ship called the Munmouth, and Charles Stagnes, englishman *G.*

John Tailor, eldest son of James T., merchant, burgess *g.*

July 14. Alexander Sim, eldest son, and Andrew Sym, second son of Andrew S., cooper, burgess *g.*

22. Andrew Taillior, tailor *t.*

Augt. 12. William Ross, merchant, married daughter of a burgess of guild *g.*

William Reid, cooper *t.*

15. John Gordone of Edinglasse *G.*

John Shepherd in Invermarkie, at special request of the said John Gordon *G.*

31. Mr. Robert Farquhar, minister at Libbertone; Alexander Farquhar, merchant burgess of Edinburgh, and Andrew Farquhar, merchant in London *G.*

Sept. 9. Paul Menzies, dyer, second son of Mr. Alexander M. of Kinmundie, burgess *t.*

Alexander Troup, shoemaker *t. j.*

17. Robert Gellie, merchant, at request of Patrick Gellie, dean of guild *g.*

James Meassone, merchant *g.*

William Archibald, merchant, married daughter of a burgess of guild *g.*

George Thain, servant to Mr. Alexander Robertson, town clerk *g.*

John Scrogie, servant to Alexander Bruce, town clerk depute *g.*

22. James Winter, secretary to George, Duke of Gordon, &c. *G.*

James Brabner, second son of the late John B. in Cottoune *g.*

30. Alexander Duncan, weaver *t.*

William Naughtie, weaver *t.*

John Anderson, weaver *t.*

Novr. 4. Robert Burnet of Elrick, only son of the late John B. of Elrick, sometime baillie of the burgh *g.*

14. John Keith of Fornet, knight marshal, George Keith, third son of John, Earl of Kintor; Charles Keith, fourth son of the said earl; Robert Forbes of Cullie, second son of John F. of Monimusk, and Thomas Walace, eldest son of Hugh W. of Englishtoune *G.*

Mr. Robert Broun, servant to John, Earl of Kintor *G.*

John Keith and John Keith, servants to John, Earl of Kintor, and John Couts, servant to Robert Forbes of Cullie *G.*

18. Robert Innes, eldest son of Alexander I., chamberlain of Belhelvies, burgess *g.*

1685.

Novr. 18. Robert Murray, barbor and periwiggmaker *t.*

25. William Blackhall, armorar, married daughter of a burgess of guild *t.*

James Murray, shoemaker *t.*

1686.

Mar. 15. James Devroome, merchant, Amsterdam, and William Blackwood, merchant, Edinburgh *G.*

19. Robert Dumbar and James Dawnie, captains of men-of-war, and James Nisbet, apothecary, Edinburgh *G.*

24. David Lindsay, junior of Edgell, and James Carnegie, junior of Balnamoon *G.*

Mr. Robert Lindsay, tutor to David Lindsay, junior of Edgell, and Mr. Alexander Lindsay, tutor to James Carnegie, junior of Balnamoon *G.*

April 7. Robert Colinsone.

May 6. Stephan Henault, merchant of Rouen in France, and William Gordon, merchant of Vere in Zealand *G.*

June 23. Andrew Nairn, fourth son of Andrew N., glover, burgess *t.*

George Robertson, tailor *t.*

July 7. Alexander Ogilvie, merchant, married daughter of a burgess of guild *g.*

Alexander Forbes, sklaiter, simple burgess.

Alexander Gordon, son to William G., lait baillie in Old Abd., admitted to the calling of barbarising and pirriwiggmakeing *t.*

John Gordon in Westertoun, Achlouchries; John Gordon, eldest son of Patrick G. of Achlouchries, General in the service of the Emperor of Russia, and James Gordon, second son of John G. in Westertoune of Achlouchries *G.*

10. Dr. Richard Shaw, James Harres, rope dancer; Walter Fairfoull, medicine-vender; Thomas Jackson, rope dancer, and Richard Reidman, surgeon, servants to the said Dr. Shaw *G.*

23. Captain Hugh Montgomrie, son to the earl of Eglintoune *G.*

Augt. 9. George Hamiltoun, general supervisor of Scottish trade, and Andrew Kerr, merchant, burgess of Linlithgow *G.*

11. John Fouller, merchant *g.*

James Adam, weaver, only son of John A., weaver, burgess *t.*

John Murray, weaver, eldest son of Robert M., weaver, burgess *t.*

1686.

Augt. 17. John Grahame of Claverhous, Master of the Horse, and clerk of the King's Council; John Scott of Camestoune; Alexander Arbuthnet of Knocks; Robert Young of Oldbarr; Hercules Scott of Brothertoune; John Scott, son of the Laird of Benholme; James Scott, brother to the Laird of Brothertoune, and Mr. Roderick Mckenzie, surgeon *G.*

Mr. Francis Ross, minister at Renfrew *G.*

John Purves, Leonard Wanhalstad, David Robertson, Thomas Panton, servants to Claverhous; Robert Mair, servant to the Laird of Oldbarr; John Cruickshank, servant to William Leslie, brother to Patrick Leslie of Balquhyn *G.*

John Brebner, servant to George Leslie, provost *g.*

19. William Cruickshank, weaver, second son of the late James C., weaver, burgess *t.*

25. Alexander Ramsay, merchant, son of the late Alexander R. of Migstrath *g.*

George Findlasone, tailor *t.*

William Nicoll, tailor *t.*

Alexander Somervale, skipper, for good considerations and services to the inhabitants of this burgh *g.*

Robert Gordon, indwellar *g.*

Patrick Gibb, only son of the late William G., burgess *g.*

27. William Fettus, tailor *t.*

Sept. 2. Alexander Forbes, second son of Alexander F. of Auchortes *g.*

James Adamson, tailor *t.*

3. John Ogilvie, cooper *t.*

15. William Taylor, merchant *g.*

James Thomson, merchant, Old Aberdeen *g.*

James Knight, merchant, Old Aberdeen *g.*

Duncan Cassie, merchant, Old Aberdeen *g.*

16. Charles Lawrie, merchant—act renewed in his favour—married daughter of a burgess of guild *g.*

Alexander Smith, shoemaker, third son of the late Thomas S., shoemaker, burgess *t.*

William Lowrie, merchant, formerly servant to Charles L., merchant, his brother *g.*

William Fraser, servant to Charles Lawrie, burgess *g.*

John Strachan, merchant in the town of Kincardine *g.*

1686.

Sept.	16.	George Cruickshank, merchant	*g.*
		Patrick Annand, indweller	*g.*
		George Ronald, merchant, Old Aberdeen	*g.*
	21.	John Gordon, servant to John Johnston, merchant, burgess	*g.*
		James Johnston, dyer	*t.*
		Thomas Burnet, dyer, cautioner Robert Burnet of Elrick	*t.*
		Patrick Livingstoun, cautioner William Livingston, burgess	*g.*
		James Bayllie, merchant	*g.*
		Martin Toulsone, servant to George Edie, one of the baillies	*g.*
Octr.	23.	Dominicus Gratianus, doctor of medicine, and Dr. William Reid	*G.*
		Daniel Lindsay, apothecary; Anthony Pearson and William Sinclair, servants to the said Dr. Reid	*G.*
Novr.	27.	Leith of Overhall and Charles Ross, son to R. of Auchlossine	*G.*
	30.	John Hall, merchant, married daughter of a burgess of guild	*g.*
Decr.	1.	Patrick Kilgower, watchmaker in Old Aberdeen—"and withall obleidged him not to midle or work in tyme comeing any work of or belonging to any of the trads of the said brughe or ther incorporations only that it shall be leasome to him to make or mend watches or cast bells as he may have occasione."	*g.*
	8.	Robert Annand, flesher	*t.*

1687.

Jany.	12.	Thomas Best, shoemaker, only son of the late Robert B., shoemaker, burgess	*t.*
		William Thomson, smith, son of Thomas T., glover, burgess	*t.*
	19.	John Aikman, shoemaker	*t.*
		John Ferguisone, flesher	*t.*
Feby.	15.	James Ogilvie, sheriff clerk of Aberdeen	*g.*
		James Brodie, merchant in London	*G.*
Mar.	8.	William Sydenham and John Tylton, doctors of medicine	*G.*
	23.	George Duncan, merchant	*g.*
		George Gray, merchant	*g.*
	30.	Robert Mollesone, merchant	*g.*
		Alexander Cushnie, indwellar	*g.*
		Thomas Crightone of Rivan and Mr. John Lindsay, commissary of St. Andrews	*G.*
	31.	Charles Hoome, brother to Earl Hoome	*G.*
		Alexander Birnie, son to John B., burgess	*g.*

1687.

April	2.	George Simmer, in the toun of Torrie	*g.*
		Alexander Forbes, servant to Andrew Burnet, treasurer of the burgh	*g.*
		Andrew Simmer, eldest son of George S., in the toun of Torrie	*g.*
		Alexander Simmer, second son of the said George S.	*g.*
	20.	Archibald Carnegie, junior, of Pittarrow	*G.*
	21.	William Kinneir, eldest son of William K., burgess	*g.*
		Robert Davidson, eldest son of John D., burgess	*g.*
		John Ronald, eldest son of James R., burgess	*g.*
May	4.	John Williamsone, sheriff clerk of Perth	*G.*
	18.	Andrew Carnegie, merchant	*g.*
	28.	George Murray, commander in the King's company under George, Earl of Dumbarton; Alexander Leith, lieutenant in the same company	*G.*
		Sebastian Holland, servant to the said George Murray	*G.*
June	1.	John Garden, tailor	*t.*
Augt.	17.	James Tait, weaver	*t.*
		Reymer de Panno, merchant of Leyden	*G.*
Sept.	1.	David, Viscount Stormount, and John Murray of Drumkarne	*G.*
		George Banerman, eldest son; Alexander, second son; Francis, third son; and Patrick, fourth son of Alexander B. of Elsick, pupils	*G.*
	3.	James and Robert Byres, eldest and second sons of James B., merchant, burgess, pupils	*g.*
	20.	William Gordon, second son of James G. of Seton, burgess	*g.*
		Mr. Christopher Irving, doctor of medicine, and Andrew Irving, merchant, Edinburgh	*G.*
	24.	Robert Gordon, son to Patrick G. of Hallhead	*g.*
		Mr. Alexander Leslie, son to George L., provost	*g.*
		George and Robert Cruickshank, eldest and second sons of Robert C. of Banchorie, dean of guild, pupils	*g.*
		William, James, and George Robertson, eldest, second, and third sons of Mr. Alexander R., town clerk, pupils	*g.*
	28[1].	George Sangster, wright	*t.*
Octr.	6.	David Curlie and Archibald Buchannan, writers in Edinburgh	*G.*
	10.	George Milne, keeper of the letter office of Aberdeen	*g.*

[1] The day of electione of the Magistrats and Councell of this burghe being upon the twentie eght day of this instant moneth of Septr. The same wes continued by the Lords of Privie Councell ther order groundit vpon the Kings letter to them continued vntill the Kings further pleasur and the present Magistrats and Councell in the interim ordained to exerce.

1687.

Octr. 21. Mr. James Lorimer, Principal of St. Mary's College, St. Andrews *G.*

26. James Ross, son of James R. of Findreik *g.*

David Gray, weaver *t.*

Alexander Forbes, servant to Robert Cruickshank of Banchorie, dean of guild *g.*

Novr. 2. Sir Patrick Ogilvie of Boyne, one of the Senators of the Supreme Court; William Ogilvie of Backlaw, and James Ogilvie of Polldavie *G.*

Thomas Murray, servant to James Ogilvie, son of James, earl of Findlater *G.*

4. Patrick Leslie of Kincraigie *G.*

John Leslie, son of Patrick L. of Kincraigie *g.*

9. John Forbes, skipper, son of John F. of Corss, married daughter of Mr. James Leslie, doctor of medicine *g.*

10. George Ædie, son of David Æ. of Newwork, formerly baillie of this burgh, a pupil *g.*

David Ædie, second son of the said David Æ., a pupil *g.*

16. James Marr, eldest son of the late John M., indwellar *g.*

Decr. 2. John Leith of Whythaugh *G.*

14. John Watson, servant to Patrick Leslie of Balquhyn *G.*

15. Robert Burnet, eldest son of the late Robert B., merchant, burgess *g.*

William Burnet, second son of the said Robert B. *g.*

George Burnet, third son of the said Robert B., a pupil *g.*

James Catanach, servant to Andrew Burnet, treasurer of the burgh *g.*

1688.

Jany. 6. John Grant of Bendalach and William Grant of Creichie *G.*

7. Alexr. Leslie, merchant of Banff, son of Alexander L. of Kininvie *G.*

16. James Crichton, merchant in London *G.*

Feby. 1. Andrew Hall, flesher in Forresterhill *t.*

15. William Finnie, indwellar in the burgh *g.*

Mar. 3. William Stuart, son of S. of Bogs.[1]

April 4. George Philp, cooper *t.*

Lachlan Carmichell, tailor *t.*

William Ross, tailor *t.*

18. Alexander, Marquis of Huntlie, Lord Gordon, a pupil *G.*

Arthur Forbes of Eght.[2]

[1] Entry incomplete. [2] Ibid.

1688.

April 24. Mr. George Garden, D.D., one of the ministers of this burgh *g.*
Mr. Alexander Gray, son of Mr. Thomas G., formerly provost of this burgh *g.*
Mr. Andrew Burnet, minister at the church of Saint Minnans *g. j.*

May 2. William Stuart, weaver *t.*

23. George Glennie, wright, eldest son of the late Alexr. G., tailor *t.*
George Watson, flesher *t.*

June 9. Mr. Gilbert Leslie, fourth son of George L., provost of this burgh *g.*
Daniel Hamiltone, chamberlain of Grange, married daughter of a burgess of guild *g.*

20. John Gordon, captain in the company of Collonel Wauchop; Sir John Johnston, captain in the said company of John Gordon; John Gordon, lieutenant, and George Gordon his son *G.*
Hugh Barron, servant to Captain John Gordon; Alexr. Patrie, serjand to the said Captain John Gordon; Thomas Charles, serjand to the said Sir Captain John Johnston; George Gordon, servant to Sir John Johnston; George Knight, servant to lieutenant John Gordon. *G.*

July 25. John Gordon, son of Hugh G. of Kirkhill, at the request of George, duke of Gordon *g.*

Augt. 17. Alexander Ross, painter, married daughter of a burgess of guild *g.*
Charles Whyt, painter *g.*

Sept. 5. George Gordon of Kirktoun of Dyce, married a daughter of Mr. William Moir, doctor of medicine *g.*

11. Andrew Moir, in old mill of Foverane *g.*

12. Mr. John Farqr., minister at Edinburgh *g. j.*
Mr. James Guthrie, minister at *G.*

19. Zacharias Smith, dyer *t.*
John Stuart, glover *t.*
Alexr. Murdo in Slaines, hookmaker *t.*

20. John Frieman in Ruthriestoun *g.*
Henry Rollo of Woodsyde and Patrick Ramsay, son of James, bishop of Ross *G.*

25. George Cruickshank, eldest son of the late George C., merchant, burgess *g.*
Alexr. Nicoll, eldest son of John N., Master of Kirkwork of this burgh, a pupil *g.*

1688.

Sept. 26. James Jaffray, servant to Sir George Skein of Fintrey, formerly provost, and John Smith, servant to George Leslie, provost *g.*

28. Patrick Strachan, son of Michael S. of Achnagatt *g.*

Octr. 2. Mr. William Leith, servant to John, earl of Erroll, Lord Hay and Slaines, High Constable of Scotland and Sheriff of Aberdeen *G.*

13. John Snavie, weaver, "ane of the militia souldiers of the said brughe in the present expeditione for his Majesties service" *t.*

17. John Stratone of Balhagartie *G.*

20. David Milne, slater in Montrose, for special favour borne to George, earl of Aberdene *G.*

Novr. 1. John Skein, junior, of Dyce *g. j.*

8. George Andersone in New Bervie, for good service to this burgh *g.*

Alexr. Gordon, son of Francis G. of Craig *g.*

12. Alexander Gordon, eldest son of John G., one of the baillies of this burgh, a pupil *g.*

John Gordon, second son of the said John G., a pupil *g.*

John Gordon, eldest son of John G., factor in Compheir, burgess, a pupil *g.*

Alexander Gordon, second son of the said John G., a pupil *g.*

20. Thomas Hay, sheriff clerk of Aberdeen, and William Hay, procurator fiscal of the said sheriffdom *G.*

Colin Hay, eldest son of the said Thomas H., a pupil *g.*

29. Captain James Ross *g.*

Decr. 14. Alexr. Farqur. of Munie and Robert Farquhar, his brother *G.*

27. James Mcklean, burgess of Inverness *G.*

1689.

Jany. 3. Alexr. Fraser of Streichen; Mr. William Cockburne, younger of Cockburne, Advocate; Mr. James Whyt, minister at Streichen, and Mr. James Whyt, son of William W. of Newmill *G.*

Robert Ramsay, servant of the laird of Langtoune; Hector Fraser, servant to Alexr. Fraser of Streichen; Thomas Maitland, servant to Mr. William Cockburne; William Charles, servant to the said laird of Streichen *G.*

18. Alexr. Burnet, eldest son of Thomas B. of Leys: Robert B., his second son; William B., his third son; Thomas B., his fourth son, and John B., his fifth son—pupils *g. j.*

Patrick Garioch of Tunley *G.*

William Burnet, servant to Andrew Burnet, dean of guild of this burgh *g.*

1689.

Jany. 23. John Taitt, son of James T., weaver, burgess *g.*
David Hardie, indwellar in the burgh *g.*

Feby. 19. Thomas Gordon, second son of the late George G., merchant, burgess *g.*
John Andersone, second son of the late John A., skipper, burgess *g.*

20. William Gordon, son of Robert G. of Claymyrs *g.*
John Smith, son of Adam S. in Achquath *g.*
James Strachan, son of William S. in Kincarden *g.*
William Catanach in Gilcomstoun *g.*
George Gordon, dyer, son of John G. in Bog of Crumar, married daughter of a burgess of guild *t.*
James Hogg, servant to Andrew Burnet, dean of guild *g.*
William Donald, baker *t.*
John Sharp, smith *t.*
John Smith, glover, only son of the late Walter S., glover, burgess *t.*

22. John Wright, only son of William W., merchant, burgess *g.*
John Duff, eldest son of John D., burgess *g.*
William Moir, king's messenger in this burgh *g.*
Robert Gordon, indwellar in this burgh *g.*

26. James Andersone, glassworker, eldest son of the late James A., burgess *t.*
William Menzies, eldest son of the late Paul M., burgess *g.*
Patrick Stivensone, only son of the late William S., merchant, burgess *g.*
Alexr. Donald, weaver, only son of Alexander D., weaver *t.*
William Forbes, flesher, second son of the late James F., flesher *t.*
James Dunlope [second [1]] son of Mr. Ludovick D., minister at the church of Skein *g.*
William Young, weaver, married daughter of a craftsman *t.*
Alexander Hendrie, weaver *t.*
Donald Riach, weaver [2] *t.*

28. Arthur, Archbishop of St. Andrews, and Dr. John Ross, minister at Foverane *G.*
Mr. John Moir, advocate, second son of the late John M. of Stonniewood, burgess, and William M., his fourth son *g.*

May 16. Colonel John Waughan; Archibald Forbes, son to William, Lord Forbes; James Leslie of Buchanstoun; James Hamilton, first ensign in the company of Collonel Rollo; John Forbes, eldest son of William F. of Camphell; Alexr. Forbes, son of the late Alexr. F. of Barnes, and Alexr. Innes, brother to Mr. John I. of Talquhmie *G.*

[1] Guildry Accounts.

[2] William Matheson, son to James Matheson, desyring to be burgess of gild is rejected on the same date.

1689.

May 29. Alexr. Andersone, son to James A. in Archballach *g.*
James Sim, shoemaker *t.*
John Bird, son to Bird in , admitted to the calling of barbarising and piriwigmaking *t.*
30. Robert Bruce, eldest son of Alexr. B., town clerk depute of this burgh *g.*
Alexr. Bruce, son of the said Alexr. B., a pupil *g.*
James Thomson, one of the serjands of this burgh *g.*
John Thomson, eldest son of the said James T. *g.*

Augt. 10. Major General Hugh Mackay, in charge of the forces in Scotland *G.*
Johnestone, earl of Annandaill; Ross, Lord Rollo; Colonel Steples; Lawder, Lieutenant Collonel; Colonel Hope; Young of Pulwort; Major Stewart *G.*

Sept. 6. Colonel Sir Thomas Lewinstone; Major Æneas Mackay; John Hay; Captain Henry Balfour; Captain Patrick Horne of Polwort, junior; Captain Lockart; Captain James Dundas; Lieutenant Edward Murray; Thomas Mallet; David Chrichtone, surveyor; Ensign Lodovick Lawder; Lieutenant Mackdougall; Ensign Agnew; Lieutenant William Murray; Ensign David Beatsone; Ensign Edward Angeris; Surgeon Major George Horne of Kemergame; Lieutenant John Monroe of Indenrivan *G.*
11. Alexander Ralph, smith *t.*
24. George Fordyce of Haughs of Aushoble, married daughter of a burgess of guild *g.*
John Lamb, son of Archibald L., tutor of Tarie in the county of Angus *g.*
James Patrie, indwellar in this burgh *g.*
John Couplan, indwellar in this burgh *g.*
Thomas Farquharsone, servant to Andrew Fraser, sheriff of Aberdene *g.*
James Gordon, third son of Alexander G., provost of this burgh *g.*
William Bisset, second son of William B., dean of guild of this burgh *g.*

Octr. 14. General Alexr. Bruce of Broomehall; Alexr. B., his son, and William Preston, lieutenant *G.*
Alexr. Lamb, servant to General Bruce *G.*
George Trowpt; Alexr. Ferrar *g.*

1690.

Jany. 15. George Tait, weaver *t.*

1690.

Feby.	4.	J. Innes.	
	12.	Alexander Jaffray, eldest son of the late William J., burgess	*g.*
		George Taylor, second son of Thomas T., burgess	*g.*
Mar.	24.	George Steivine, merchant	*g.*
	26.	William Troup, servant to Andrew Galoway, merchant, burgess	*g.*
May	14.	George Chalmer, merchant, servant to Andrew Chalmer, merchant	*g.*
July	2.	George Taylor, merchant in Old Aberdeen	*g.*
	3.	William Clerk of Tillicorthie	*g.*
	9.	James Williamson, merchant	*g.*
		James Ferrier, tailor	*t.*
		Andrew Fraser, tailor	*t.*
	16.	John Midltoune, merchant	*g.*
		Andrew Baxter, merchant [in Old Aberdeen]	*g.*
Augt.	20.	Thomas Strachan, merchant	*g.*
Sept.	5.	James Forbes, eldest son of Alexr. F. of Auquhorthies	*g.*
		Normand Durward, second son of D., burgess	*g.*
		James Murisone, merchant	*g.*
	17.	Gilbert Clerk, son of James C. in Grein of Udnie	*g.*
	19.	Abraham Davidson, second son of William D., messenger in Kirktoun of Skeen	*g.*
		John Fettes	*g.*
	23.	William Thomson, merchant	*g.*
	16.	James Irving	*g.*
	22.	John Thomson, reader and precentor in the New Church of this burgh	*g.*
		Alexander Moir, eldest son of John M., burgess	*g.*
		John Deans, servant to Mr. John Moir, toun clerk, and eldest son of the late John D., burgess	*g.*
	23.	Alexander Gordon, merchant in Kemnay	*g.*
		Robert Urquhart, merchant in this burgh	*g.*
		John Fraser, servant to Charles Laurie, treasurer of the burgh	*g.*
	24.	Alexr. Naughtie.	
		Gilbert Hardie, merchant	*g.*
		James Catto, servant to William Soupper, burgess	*g.*
		James Broune, merchant in Old Aberdeen	*g.*
		Robert Shinie, glover	*t.*
		Patrick Black, merchant	*g.*
Octr.	15.	Alexander Forbes, merchant, son to William F. of Cragie	*g.*
Novr.	10.	George Forbes, merchant and burgess	*g.*

1690.

Novr. 10. William Simpsone, merchant and burgess *g.*
William Oliphant, merchant *g.*
19. James Allane, merchant *g.*
Decr. 27. Alexander Moir, fourth son of Mr. William M., doctor of medicine, burgess *g.*

1691.

Feby. 17. Alexr. Alexander, eldest son of Mr. Alexander A., minister at Glass, a pupil *g. j.*
Mar. 4. Alexr. Ross, flesher *t.*
24. Thomas Forbes of Watertoune, eldest son of the late John F. of Watertoune, burgess *g.*
John, William and George Forbes, second, third and fourth sons of the late John F. of Watertoune *g.*
April 22. John Bannerman in Gordonsmiln *g.*
Alexander Brans, flesher, eldest son of the late James B., indweller in this burgh *t.*
May 13. William Scott, merchant *g.*
July 7. Mr. Walter Cochrane of Dumbreck, eldest son of Walter C., formerly baillie *g.*
Augt. 5. William Scot, goldsmith, eldest son of William S., goldsmith, burgess *t.*
12. Patrick Black, saddler, second son of Nathaniel B., saddler, burgess *t.*
19. Robert Milne, smith *t.*
Sept. 15. William Hendersone, merchant *g.*
17. Alexander Davidson, merchant *g.*
22. James Ley, merchant *g.*
Alexander Moir, wright *t.*
Alexander Molyson, merchant *g.*
John Forbes, servant to the dean of guild *g.*
John Burnet, merchant *g.*
30. Alexander Duguid, goldsmith, son of the late Francis D. of Auchenhoove *t.*
7. John Forbes, tailor *t.*
Novr. 4. James Robertsone *g.*
Thomas Taylor, third son of Thomas T., merchant *g. j.*
Andrew Massie, merchant[1] *g.*

[1] 19th March, 1697.—In presence of the provost, &c., the forsd. Andrew Massie his burgher ticket wes torn for the resetting of stollen goods and he and his family banished the toun and freedom.

1691.

Novr.	18.	James Gordon, merchant	*g.*
		John Cravie, merchant	*g.*
	25.	William Lorimer, baker	*t.*
Decr.	2.	George Forbes, son of Mr. Duncan F., minister at Pitsligo	*g.*
	16.	Donald Ross, shoemaker	*t.*

1692.

Jany.	13.	James Thom, tailor, married the eldest daughter of a burgess	*t.*
	27.	David Grier, merchant	*g.*
April	6.	Gilbert Hutchen, merchant	*g.*
		Andrew Adam, shoemaker	*t.*
	20.	Thomas Mitchell, dyer	*t.*
		Alexander Massie, servant to John Forbes, merchant	*g.*
		William Strachan, shoemaker	*t.*
June	1.	John Marr, flesher, caut. David Marr, merchant	*t.*
		William Forbes, dyer	*t.*
		John Forbes, dyer	*t.*
		Gilbert Kerr, second son of Mr. K., minister at the church of Grange	*g. j.*
	22.	Mr. John Ross, merchant	*g.*
		William Clerk, shoemaker	*t.*
		Mr. Alexander Thomson, advocate, third son of the late Alexander T., advocate, burgess	*g.*
		George Keith of Chrichie, advocate in Aberdeen	*g.*
		William Baxter, baillie in Old Aberdeen	*g.*
		John Pedder, clerk depute to the Commissariot of Aberdeen	*g.*
July	20.	Patrick Culbert, barber	*t.*
Augt.	24.	Robert Low, armorar, second son of the late L., flesher, burgess	*t.*
		Gilbert Duff, cooper	*t.*
Sept.	14.	George Thomsone, indweller in this burgh	*g.*
		Alexander Ogilvie, shoemaker	*t.*
	21.	Andrew Fergusone, merchant	*g.*
		John Maver, merchant	*g.*
		James Simpsone, tailor	*t.*
	26.	Henry Elphinston, servant to the dean of guild	*g.*
		Patrick Swap, merchant	*g.*
		Patrick Gellie, eldest son of Patrick G., baillie	*g.*
		Mr. William Gellie, second son to the said Patrick G., a pupil	*g.*

1692.

Sept.	26.	Robert Gellie, third son to the said Patrick G., a pupil	*g.*
		James Cruickshank, third son of Robert C., baillie, a pupil	*g.*
		John Allardes, eldest son of John A., dean of guild, a pupil	*g.*
		Andrew, Thomas and John Burnett, eldest, second and third sons of John B., burgess, pupils	*g.*
		John Weire, son of Robert W., burgess	*g.*
		John Gordon, tailor, eldest son of the late David G., burgess	*t.*
	28.	John Ross, merchant, second son of the late John R., merchant	*g.*

1693.

Jany.	10.	William Cook, smith	*t.*
	15.	Alexander Gaven, writer in this burgh	*g.*
		George Milne, barber	*t.*
	31.	Thomas Forbes, advocate in this burgh	*g.*
Feby.	22.	James Gray, merchant	*g.*
Mar.	29.	John Sutherland	*g.*
		John Mackdonald, merchant	*g.*
May	17.	Robert Sharp, goldsmith	*t.*
		William Strachan, wright	*t.*
	31.	John Findlay, cooper	*t.*
July	19.	George Wilsone, merchant	*g.*
Augt.	23.	Gilbert Moir, cooper	*t.*
		Thomas Sime, cooper	*t.*
		Andrew Mitchell, bookbinder, with libertie to him to sell all kynds of books whatsomever whither imported by himselfe or vthers inhabitants burghers of the sd. brugh	*t.*
Sept.	8.	George Cruckshank, merchant	*g.*
		William Strachan, shoemaker	*t.*
	13.	James Gordon of Badenscoth, merchant	*g.*
	15.	John Deans, merchant	*g.*
		John Gordon, dyer	*t.*
		Patrick Robertson, eldest son of Walter R., formerly baillie	*g.*
	18.	Andrew Melvill, merchant	*g.*
		Walter Strachan, weaver, eldest son of the late John S., weaver, burgess	*t.*
		Henry Badenoch, merchant	*g.*
	19.	Andrew Sievwright, merchant	*g.*
	23.	George Wright, wright	*t.*
	25.	Arthur Smith, tailor	*t.*

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Sept.	25.	John Thomsone, tailor	*t.*
		Patrick Rankin, tailor	*t.*
		Thomas Hill, tailor, eldest son of George H., senior, tailor, burgess	*t.*
		Patrick Hill, tailor, eldest son of George H., junior, tailor, burgess	*t.*
	26.	George Gordon, second son of John G., junior of Law	*g.*
		John Reed, second son of James R., dean of guild, a pupil	*g.*
		John, Alexr., and George Ragg, eldest, second, and third sons of Alexander R., treasurer of this burgh	*g.*
Octr.	4.	John Denoon, handicraftsman	*t.*
	11.	Alexander Barclay, wright	*t.*
		Solomon Archeir, smith[1]	*t.*
		George Bruce, armorar	*t.*
		William Stuart, glover	*t.*
		Alexander Jamesone, weaver	*t.*
		Leivingston, son of Thomas L.	
		Andrew Leivingstone, eldest son of William L., merchant, burgess	*g.*
	18.	Dicksone of Cherne and Hugh Brown of	*G.*
	20.	Mr. Paul Gellie, minister at the church of Airth, sixth son of the late Patrick G., burgess	*g.*
Novr.	1.	John Robertsone, merchant[2]	*g.*
	29.	William Innes, merchant	*g.*
Decr.	20.	David Rickard of Arnage, eldest son of the late Mr. George R. of Arnage, burgess	*g.*
		John Rickard, second son of the said Mr. George R.	*g.*

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Jany.	3.	Robert Morgan, merchant	*g.*
	10.	John Watsone, eldest son of the late Alexr. W., merchant, burgess	*g.*
		William Lumsden, second son of the late Alexr. L., burgess	*g.*
	24.	Patrick Leslie, merchant	*g.*
		George Linton, weaver	*t.*
		John Forbes, printer in this burgh, eldest son of the late John F., burgess	*g.*
		James Philip, merchant	*g.*
		Coll. Mackdonald of Keanoch; Ronald Mikdonald, his brother; Alexr. Mikdonald, his brother; Ronald Mikdonald of Cotlandis; Samuell Mikdonald of Rothdeir, and Alan Gordon of[3]	*G.*

[1] This Act by order of Counsell is cancelled in respect the compositione is not payed.

[2] This Act is cancelled be reasone he hes renuniced his burgher right.

[3] Last entry in Volume I. of Register.

1694.

Feby.	4.	John Cumeing, merchant	*g.*
		Alexander Duncan, shoemaker	*t.*
April	24.	Andrew Thomsone, eldest son of the late Andrew T., advocate in Aberdeen, burgess	*g.*
	25.	John Panton, attendant in this burgh	*g.*
May	2.	James Clerk, cutler	*t.*
		John Gilmoor, shoemaker, eldest son of John G., shoemaker, burgess	*t.*
	9.	James Christie, piriwigmaker in Montrose	*t.*
	23.	Alexr. Andersone, weaver, eldest son of Alexander A., dyer, burgess	*t.*
		William Matheson, weaver	*t.*
June	6.	John Luckie, cordiner	*t.*
		James Wright, shoemaker	*t.*
		William Riach, weaver	*t.*
	13.	William Irvine, second son of the late Robert I. in Hillhead of Seatone	*g.*
	27.	Sir John Shaw of Greenok ; John Vass, his servant, and Mr. Thomas Russell, minister of the church of Kenuay	*G.*
Augt.	22.	Robert Andersone, third son of James A., glazier, burgess, a pupil	*g.*
Sept.	14.	William Peirie, wright	*t.*
		James Forbes, glazier	*t.*
	20.	Alexander Christall, wright	*t.*
	21.	John Gall, servant to William Gellie, dean of guild	*g.*
		John Harper, servant to Robert Cruickshank of Banchorie, provest	*g.*
		Thomas Mitchell, merchant	*g.*
		Robert Gordon, servant to Alexr. Forbes of Torehendrie, Mr. of the kirkwork of this burgh	*g.*
	25.	John Orem, eldest son of Alexander O., treasurer of this burgh, a pupil	*g.*
		John Mackie, son of Alexander M. in Drumnaheth, and servant to the sd. Alexander Orem	*g.*
		George and Alexander Leslie, sons of the late John L., formerly baillie, pupils	*g.*
		Major Thomas Robertson, eldest son of the late James R. of Cults, burgess	*g.*
		John Robertson, third son of the sd. Major R.	*g.*
Octr.	2.	Charles, Lord Hay	*G.*

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Novr. 5. Collonell Robert Mckay; Captain Duncan McKenzie; Captain James Gibbens; Captain Alexr. Weddell; Captain William Hendersone; Captain Robert Wood; Captain John Mckay; Lieutenant Charles Dumbreck; Ensign Peter Hay, and Francis Krug, servant to the sd. Collonell Mckay *G.*

21. George Sinclare, merchant *g.*

28. William Innes, wright *t.*

30. Alexr. Irvin of Murthill *G.*

Decr. 12. Ensign John Hay in Colonel Robert Mckay's regiment of foot *G.*

19. Andrew Murray, merchant.

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Jany. 15. Charles Divvie, merchant in Edinburgh, son of the deceased William D., formerly baillie of this burgh *g.*

16. William Spencer.

James Watson, flesher, eldest son of George W., flesher, burgess *t.*

John Marshall, flesher, eldest son of Alexander M., flesher, burgess *t.*

James Dempster, flesher, eldest son of James D., flesher, burgess *t.*

Feby. 13. John Kempt, wright, son of John K., merchant, burgess *t.*

April 19. Captain Walter Dennim; Lieutenant John Weir; Lieutenant James Carmichall; Claud Mackmoran, cornet, and John Norie, agitant in the laird of Carmichall's regiment of dragoons *G.*

23. George Allardes of Allardes and John Raite of Findlastone *G.*

July 3. Mr. John Dagleish, minister at Roseburgh; Mr. John Hamilton, minister of the Grayfriar Kirk; Mr. Henry Hamiltone, minister at Currie; Mr. Matthew Selkrig, minister at Krightoune; Mr. David Walker, minister at Temple; Mr. John Lowstone, minister at Bathgate; Mr. James Douglas, minister at Stow *G.*

12. Mr. Charles Campbell, writer in Edinburgh, and Alexander Galloway, son of John G., merchant in Edinburgh *G.*

17. William Lindsay, goldsmith.

Augt. 1. Mr. Alexander Gray, minister at Futtie, son of the deceased Mr. Thomas G., formerly provost *g. j.*

17. James Johnstone, Secretary of State; Major Robert Reid of Bonketle; Thomas Burnet of Glenbervie *G.*

Alexander Fraser, John How, John Martine and William Willsone, servants to the sd. James Johnstone; James Baird and Robert Stalker, servants to James Ogilvie of Ogilvie *G.*

1695.

Sept. 17. William Crowdie, eldest son of the late George C., merchant, burgess *g.*
Patrick Mitchell, doctor of medicine, son of the late Thomas M., formerly baillie *g.*
24. Thomas Mitchell, eldest son of Thomas M., baillie of this burgh, a pupil *g.*
Andrew Mitchell, second son of the sd. Thomas M., baillie, a pupil *g.*
John and Robert Davidsone, eldest and second sons of Robert D., dean of guild, pupils *g.*
Robert and Gilbert Cumeing, eldest and second sons of Robert C., burgess, pupils *g.*
30. John Crawfoord of Kilbirny, and Mr. Alexander Smith, writer, Edinburgh *G.*

Octr. 4. James, earl of Panmure *G.*
Robert Melvill and David Coupar, servants to the sd. earl *G.*
George Gordon of Milden *G.*
9. John Robertsone, weaver *t.*
Alexander Young, weaver *t.*
23. Patrick Strachan, tailor *t.*
Peter Mckonichie, weaver *t.*

Decr. 4. William Crieswall, coppersmith and brasier *t.*
5. Mr. William Wishart, minister at the church of South Leith; Mr. William Traill, minister at Borthweek; Jasper Johnston of Waristone, and Andrew Watson, merchant in Leith *G.*
12. Sir Charles Maitland of Pitrichie, and Charles M. his son *G.*
18. William Menzie, merchant *g.*

1696.

Feby. 24. Mr. James Mikdowall, minister at Mearns, and Mr. John Stuart, minister at Eglsham *G.*

Mar. 4. Mr. Hamilton, minister at *G.*

April 8. John Tait, weaver, eldest son of John T., weaver *t. j.*
16. Captain William Grant, and Ensign Thomas Cumeing, in John, Lord Murray's regiment of foot; and Mr. Arthur Forbes, writer, Edinburgh, son of Sir John Forbes of Cragivar *G.*
22. John Taylor, flesher, for special service *t.*
Walter Fraser, son of the late William F., writer, Aberdeen, for special service *g.*
Alexander Smith and George Ross, indwellers, simple burgesses, because of ther willingly vndertakeing his Maties. service for this place.

1696.

April 26. Lieutenant Robert Urquhart, in John, Lord Murray's regiment of foot *G.*

29. Alexander Donald, maltman, son of Gilbert D., in Cocklay *g.*
John Buchan, baker *t.*

May 21. Isaac Mikartney, merchant in Belfast *G.*

June 4. Mr. Andrew Brown, minister at Spott, and Mr. Thomas Kennedie, minister at Ballantrae *G.*

8. Mr. Martin Schank, minister at Auchtertooll *G.*

July 1. Mr. John Gilchrist, minister at South Leith *G.*

Augt. 19. David, Lord Ruthven *G.*
Gilbert, William and John Simmers, sons of George S., in the town of Torrie, merchant, burgess, pupils *g.*

22. John Andersone, writer in Edinburgh *G.*

29. Mr. John Murdoch, minister at Crossmichaell *G.*

Sept. 14. Mr. James Inglis, minister at Burntisland *G.*

15. William Troupt, junior *g.*

16. John Maire, cooper *t.*
William Duncan, wright *t.*
John Robb, tailor *t.*

17. George Dunbarr, tailor *t.*
George Hendrie, tailor *t.*
William Milne, tailor, married daughter of a craftsman *t.*
Patrick Wilsone, tailor *t.*

21. William Gibsone, maltman *g.*

22. Andrew Thomsone, merchant *g.*
William Hervie, merchant *g.*
Charles Orem, merchant, cautioner Alexander Orem, dean of guild *g.*

Octr. 27. Patrick Forbes, son of Alexander F. of Eister Migvie, cautioner Arthur Forbes of Auchentowell *g.*

Novr. 27. William Baillie of Auchinades, and John Gordon of Law *G.*

1697.

Jany. 16. John Hay, servant to John, earl of Erroll, Lord Hay and Slains, High Constable of Scotland *G.*

28. Mr. Charles Campbell, captain in William, Lord Jedburgh's regiment of dragoons; Robert Campbell, lieutenant, and Nathaniel Gordon, in the same regiment *G.*

Feby. 1. Adam Gordon of Dalfolly, and John Crawfoord, Collector of the king's customs at Invernes *G.*

1697.

Mar. 10. Patrick Idle, shoemaker, eldest son of Alexr. I., shoemaker, burgess *t.*

19. Mr. James Campbell, captain in William, lord Jedburgh's regiment of dragoons; Patrick Kerr, ensign in the sd. regiment; Ludovick Grant, also ensign; William Montgomrie, captain in Collonell George Hamiltone's regiment of foot; Robert Young, lieutenant in James Maitland's regiment of foot, and Alexander Gordon, ensign in Collier's regiment of foot *G.*

April 7. James Mackcombie, merchant *g.*

19. Matthew Makaill, doctor of medicine *g.*

James Robertsone, eldest son of the deceased Walter R., merchant, burgess *g.*

20. Gilbert Stuart, merchant in Rotterdam, and John Robertsone, merchant in Caen *G.*

May 12. Thomas Walker, baker *t.*

21. Stephan Wiltscut, commander of the warship Dergues; James Vandenbruke, commander of the warship Strynham; John Court, commander of the warship Cortghene; John Desalva, centurion of marines on the Dergues; Andrew Vanhults, centurion of marines on the Cortghene; Herman Wiltscut, son of the sd. Stephan W.; George Wiltscut, grandson of the said Stephan W., and Stephan and John Obersee, sons of Cornelius O., councillor of the Court of Holland *G.*

June 16. Thomas Robertsone, indwellar in this burgh *g.*

26. Edward Burd, commander of the Scottish warship William Augustus; Andrew Brown his lieutenant; Adam Cuneingham and James Cleiland his military companions *G.*

Augt. 13. William Forbes of Tulloch *g.*

Mr. Alexander Fraser, one of the Regents of King's College, Aberdeen *g.*

Patrick Milne, writer in Edinburgh *G.*

21. John, Earl of Strathmore, Lord Glamis; James Ramsay of Banff; Patrick Lyon of Carse; John Lyon of Whitewall; Ramsay, junior, of Banff; John Lyon, sheriff clerk of Forfar; James Guthrie of Guthrie; and George Gellan, writer, Edinburgh *G.*

28. Mr. Francis Hay, merchant, Koningsberg *G.*

30. Robert Rodger, formerly baillie of Glasgow; William Boyle and James Smith, merchants in Glasgow *G.*

31. Thomas Hay of Balhousie; Archibald Cockburn, junior, of Langtoune; Mr. George Hay of Towerhill *G.*

1697.

Sept.	3.	John Farquharsone of Invercauld, and Alexr. F. his brother	*G.*
	14.	Magness Milne, servant to Alexander Ragg, baillie of the burgh	*g.*
		Patrick Cruickshank, merchant	*g.*
		Alexander Johnstone in Pettens, cautioner John Johnston, one of the baillies	*g.*
	15.	Duncan Gordon, merchant in this burgh	*g.*
	16.	Robert Law, wright, eldest son of the late Robert L., wright	*t.*
	17.	William Davidsone, merchant	*g.*
		William Forbes, indweller in the burgh[1]	*g.*
	18.	William Bruce in this burgh	*g.*
		Robert Smith, servant to James Gordon, senior, treasurer of the burgh	*g.*
	21.	Mr. Andrew Murray	*g.*
		John Davidsone in Elsick	*g.*
		John Cumeing, son of John C. of Boistoune, at request of Robert Cumeing, dean of guild	*g.*
		John Lorimer, merchant	*g.*
Octr.	11.	William Norwell, shoemaker	*t.*
		Alexander Webster, cooper, son of the late John W., cooper	*t.*
	27.	Captain Hugh Mackay of Scowrie; Alexr. Setone, son of Sir Alexander S. of Petmeden; Mr. Daniel Mackay, writer in Edinburgh, and Mr. James Hay	*G.*
	30.	John Elmsie, shoemaker	*t.*
Decr.	30.	John Gordon of Law	*g.*

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Jany.	29.	William Campbell, major; William Murray, captain; John Patersone, captain; Alexr. Streton, captain; Walter Sharp, captain; John Dumullen, captain; James Kiggo, captain; Alexr. Streton, captain, and Alexr. Leith, lieutenant in the foot regiment of Collonell Archibald Row, and Alexr. McKenzie in the regiment of George Ramsay	*G.*
Feby.	7.	Mr. Thomas Paterson, minister at Collingtone	*G.*
	8.	Michaell Hutcheson, quarter Mr. to Captain Denhams troup	*G.*
	9.	John Innes of Knockorth	*g.*

[1] 9 Septr., 1700.—The abovenamed Wm. Forbes being found guiltie of false weights in weighing meall and otherwayse . . . was deprived of his freedome and his name and act abovespeit appointed to be delet out of this Register.

1698.

Mar. 2. James Merser, eldest son of the deceased Thomas M., merchant, burgess *g.*
George Wilson of Finzeauch *g. j.*
17. Laurence Crauford of Jordanhill, and James Dunlap of Hauslehill *G.*
Alexander Forbes, junior of Ballogie *G.*
23. Mr. William Gordon, son of the deceased William G., sometime minister at Kintor *g.*
29. Mr. William Smith, professor of Philosophy in Marischal College *g.*

April 5. William, Master of Forbes, an honourable youth, the eldest son, and Mr. James Forbes, the second son of William, Lord Forbes; also Mr. William Monro, tutor to the said Master of Forbes *G.*

May 25. John Strachan, merchant in the burgh *g.*

June 4. Alexander Innes, merchant in Edinburgh *G.*
18. John Forbes, servant to Mathew Mackaill, doctor of medicine, admitted as an apothecar *t.*
30. Alexr. Lyell, shoemaker *t.*

July 22. John Burnet, second son of the deceased Alexander B., formerly baillie of this burgh *g.*
David George, skiper, eldest son of the deceased James G., burgess *g.*
Robert Rolland, third son of James R. of Disblair, burgess *g.*
John Leslie of Whitestrypes, eldest son of the deceased L., burgess *g.*
William Leslie, second son of John L. of Whitestrypes, burgess *g.*
9. Sir Andrew Kennedy of Clowburn, Conservator of Scottish privileges in Belgium; Patrick Haliburton, dean of guild of Edinburgh; Alexr. Thomsone, James Robertson and Thomas Dunlap, burgesses of the said burgh; Æneas Mcleod, town clerk of Edr.; George Smalet, son of Mr. James S. of Bonhill; Henry Chrystie, dean of guild of Stirling; Robert Kellie, baillie of Dunbarr; George Ogilvie, baillie of Montross; James Scott, junior, of Logie; Robert Bruce, baillie of Kinghorne; Walter Scott, provost of Jedburgh; Mr. Alexr. Cuming, provost of Irvine; David Malcom, baillie of Couper; Walter Steuart, provost of Lithgow; John Chalmer, baillie of Dumfermling; Mr. William Johnston, burgess of Lauder; James Hadington, burgess of Anand; William Menzies, burgess of Lochmaban; Mr. James Smallet of Bonhill; John Twach, baillie of Dingwall; John Ferguson, baillie of Inverurie; Thomas Forbes, baillie of Fortross; Alexr. Edgar, provost of Hadingtoun;

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Alexr. Leslie, provost of Bamffe; Hugh Ross, provost of Narne; William Aucherlounie, provost of Aberbrothick; Alexander Young, provost of Breichen; James Stewart, provost of Elgin; James Crie, provost of Pearth; David Murray, burgess of the same; James Fletcher, provost of Dundie; Alexander Blair, burgess of the same; John Muire, provost of Aire; Alexr. Swinton, baillie of Dissart; Henry Osewall, baillie of Kirkaldie; John Anderson, provost of Glasgow; Robert Rodger, burgess of the same; George Nisbet, burgess of the same; Captain Philip Anstruther, son of Philip A. of Anstruther; Archibald Sheilds, provost of Peebles; Robert Scott, baillie of Selkirk; John Ogilvie, baillie of Cullen; Archibald Simpson, baillie of Lanreck; John Brodie, provost of Forres; James Miller, treasurer of North bervick; William Craufourd, baillie of Cryll; John Reid, baillie of Dumfreiss; Alexander Duffe, dean of guild of Inverness; James McLean, baillie of the same; George Smith, provost of Pettenweem; Alexr. Smith, provost of Haddington; John Seaton, clerk of Burntisland; Patrick Howison, provost of Renfrew; Robert Anstruther of Balcarskie; Thomas Bithine of Tarvite; Mr. Thomas Nairn, dean of guild of St. Andrews; John Mores, burgess of the same; Andrew Beatie, burgess of Inverbervie; Thomas Mckgarrow of Barr; John Irvin, baillie of Sanquhar; John Spruell, burgess of. Glasgow; Alexr. Ferguson, burgess of Montross; William Ross of Easterfern; John Ross of Nook; George Pringle, brother to John P. of Whitebank; James Pringle, burgess of Edr.; Robert Ronald, formerly provost of Montross; Andrew Ross and Alexr. Paterson, writers in Edinburgh, and John Wardlaw, burgess of the same burgh[1] *G.*

15. Mr. John Veatch, minister at Westruther; Mr. James Brown, minister at Glasgow; Mr Alexr. Dowglas, minister at Logie; Mr. Alex. Cowden, minister at Dunce; Mr. George Mullegen, minister at Moffat; Mr. Henry Oseburne, minister at Tarbolton; Mr. Archibald Wallace, minister at Cardross; Mr. George Chalmer, minister at Kilwineing, and Mr. Robert Miller, minister at Port-Glasgow *G.*

George, Lord Keith; and Mr. James Keith, son of William, Earl Marischal, Lord Keith and Altrie *G.*

[1] Commissioners to the Convention of Burghs.

1698.

Augt. 13. Robert Menzies, son to the deceased Mr. Alexander M. of Kinmundie, burgess *g.*
John Anderson, sheriff clerk depute of Aberdeen, second son of the deceased A., burgess *g.*
24. James Deans, merchant *g.*
John Boyes, skipper *g.*
27. Andrew Skene, merchant in Edinburgh *G.*
Sept. 14. James Sumer, flesher *t.*
George Forbes, junior, merchant, brother to Torhendrie *g.*
Andrew Ross, son to Mr. James R., minister at Moven in Zetland (whose ancestors were burgesses of guild) *g.*
16. John Ray, merchant in this burgh *g.*
Robert Abercrombie, second son of the deceased Robert A., merchant, burgess *g.*
John Lumsden, skipper, eldest son of Alexander L., burgess *g.*
21. David Spiediman, glover *t.*
23. William Marnoch, maltman, in this burgh *g.*
27. James Forbes of Thorntone *g.*
William Forbes, second son of the said James F. of Thorntone *g.*
Alexander Walker, eldest son of Alexander W., provost, a pupil *g.*
John Logie, eldest son of George L., treasurer, a pupil *g.*
Andrew and Alexander Logie, second and third sons of the said George L., pupils *g*
William Murray, son of John M. in Kinloch, at request of James Milne of Blairtoun, dean of guild, a pupil *g.*
Mr. John Ballantine of Corehouse, minister at Lanrick *G.*
Thomas Kent, barber, at request of William, Earl Marischal *t.*
Octr. 1. Dr. David Grigorie, astronomier, Savilian professor in the University of Oxford, eldest son of David G. of Kinairdie, merchant, burgess *g.*
Mr. James Gregorie, professor of Mathematics in Edinburgh Academy, and Alexander Gregorie, second and third sons of the said David G. of Kinairdie *g.*
Patrick Thomsone, writer in Edinburgh, second son of the deceased Andrew T., advocate and merchant, burgess *g.*
John Cuthbert, writer in Edinburgh *G.*
20. Alexander Patton of Kinaldie *g.*

1698.

Octr. 18. Mr. James Hay, second son of John, Earl of Errol, Lord Hay of Slains, High Constable of Scotland *G.*

28. Major Belthzer Guydet, John Pollox, ensign, and Simon Fraser, commander in the dragoon regiment of Lord Jedburgh *G.*

Novr. 2. John Drumond, merchant in Amsterdam *G.*

8. Mr. Thomas Blackweell, minister at Paslie *G.*

1699.

Jany. 2. Mr. David Lindsay, minister at Cockpenn; Mr. Arthur Burnie, minister at Douglase, and Mr. Robert Mackauley, minister at Enshanan *G.*

Mar. 22. Charles Andersone, watchmaker, second son of the deceased John A., merchant, burgess *t.*

Gilbert Black, saidler, second son to Alexander B., saidler *t.*

29. Alexander Duff, baker *t.*

April 11. Mr. David Broun, minister at Neilstoune *G.*

28. Mr. Thomas Wilkie, minister of the Canongate, and Mr. James Clerk, minister at Dirletoune *G.*

Patrick Shand, servant to Samuel Forbes of Foveran *G.*

May 1. James Vrquhart, lieutenant; James Ogilvie, ensign, and William Litle, commander in the dragoon regiment of William, Lord Jedburgh; and George Garioch, lieutenant, and Gideon Keith, ensign in the dragoon regiment of Thomas, Lord Teviot *G.*

June 7. Alexander Forbes, in Monymuisk, son of the deceased William F. of Lochermeck *g.*

30. Mr. Henry Coldwalls, merchant in Bellashannon in Ireland *G.*

July 14. James Robertson, eldest son to the deceased Major Thomas R. of Clerkseat *g. j.*

28. Mr. Patrick Vernar, minister at Irvine; Mr. Mathew Reid, minister at North berwick; Mr. Mathew Baird, minister at Monktoune, and Mr. Patrick Listoun, minister at Aire *G.*

Augt. 14. Alexander, Lord Montgumrie, &c., and Mr. William Gordon, son to George, Earl of Aberdeen *G.*

18. Andrew Burnet of Elrick, eldest son of the deceased Robert B. of Elrick, burgess *g.*

23. George Burnet, apothecary *t.*

Alexander Black, merchant in Inverurie *g.*

Sept. 6. Mr. George Hay and Mr. John Philip, both amanuensis to James, Lord Seafeild, Secretary of State for Scotland; Robert Bredie, amanuensis to John, Earl of Kintore; and John Cartwright, amanuensis to William, Lord Inverurie *G.*

1699.

Sept. 13. Patrick Copland, merchant, son to Mr. Patrick C., minister at Cushnie *g.*

20. William Reid, merchant *g.*
John Simsone, merchant *g.*
William Shirres, merchant *g.*
William Gellie, second son to Alexander G. of Blackfoord, merchant, burgess, a pupil *g.*

21. John Forbes, eldest son of Sir John F. of Cragivar, merchant, burgess *g.*
John Ramsay of Catlores *G.*

22. Thomas Lockhart, supervisor of the king's customs at Aberdeen *g.*
Alexander Kellie, servant to George Cruikshank, dean of guild *g.*
James Ogilvie, apothecary, son of the deceased William O. of Bauchlaw, at request of James, Earl of Seafeild *t.*
Walter Ogilvie, son of the said William O., at request of the Earl of Seafeild *g.*

26. James Orem, second son of Alexander O., one of the baillies of this burgh, a pupil *g.*
Alexander Orem, third son of the said Alexander O., a pupil *g.*
Alexander Catanach, son of William C. in Mid Gilcolmstone *g. j.*

Octr. 5. James Keith of Keithfeild *G.*

11. Adam Milne, smith *t.*
Mr. James Mckdonald, son of Donald M. of Slate *G.*

23. Captain Francis Farqr., Alexander Hepburne, in the regiment of John, Lord Strathnaver, and Robert Arbuthnot, son of John A. of Fides *G.*

Decr. 6. Alexander Gellan, flesher, son of John G., flesher, burgess *t.*
William Watson, flesher, son of George W., flesher, burgess *t.*

1700.

Jany. 24. Jerom Smith, barber *t.*

26. Mr. John Wilson, minister at Woodhouslie *G.*

Mar. 6. Mr. Alexander Couper, minister at Traquair *G.*

22. John Gordon, captain; John Home, captain; Samuel Foulartone, captain; John Brodie, captain; Robert Stuart, lieutenant; Thomas Wilsone, lieutenant; John Young, lieutenant; John Kent, lieutenaut; Hugh Boide, ensign; Alexr. Hutchesone, ensign; Gilbert Young, ensign; James Mckenzie, ensign; Charles Ogilvie, ensign; Francis Seaton, ensign; Francis Laponge, doctor of medicine; and George Gordon, son of Captain John G., in the regiment of foot of John, Lord Strathnaver *G.*

1700.

April 24. Robert Bogle, merchant in Glasgow *G.*
26. George Leith of Overhall *G.*
29. John Gordon, apothecary, son of Doctor John G. in Montrose *t.*
Andrew Logie of Loanhead, advocate in Aberdeen *g.*
Mr. Alexander Leslie, advocate in Aberdeen, son of the deceased John L., at one time baillie of this burgh *g.*
Robert Proctor, flesher *t.*
John Litster, son of the deceased Alexander L., one of the Regents of the College Marischal *g.*
Mr. John Steidman, minister at Dalmenie; Doctor John Gordon in Montrose; and Mr. Alexander Gordon, advocate *G.*

May 2. James Scott, senior, of Logie *G.*
9. William Hay, son of John H. of Pitfour *G.*

June 12. Alexander Anderson, wright, son of Alexander A., merchant, burgess *t.*
17. Mr. James Webster, minister at Edinburgh, and Mr. John Andersone, minister at Dunbartan *G.*
21. William Patersone, tailor *t.*
John Lyon, tailor *t.*
29. Mr. David Schaw, minister at Aberdegie *G.*

July 12. Robert Sandilands, son of the deceased Mr. James S., formerly town clerk of this burgh, and James Sandilands, eldest son of the said Robert S. *g.*
Mr. Alexander Dunlap, minister at Nnueingtoune; Mr. John Dunlap, formerly minister at Skein; and Mr. Andrew Dunlap clockmaker in London *G.*
24. John Foular, tailor *t.*
25. James Fyfe, eldest son of the deceased John F., merchant, burgess *g.*
David Fyfe, second son of John F., burgess *g.*

Augt. 9. James Pringle of Buckholm; Mr. Patrick Comeing, minister at Ormeston; Mr. Hugh White, minister at Larbert; Mr. John Stirleing, minister at Greenock; Mr. Samuel Charters, minister at Inverkitheing; Mr. James Haddow, professor of theology at St. Andrews; Mr. Andrew Broune, minister at Spott; Mr. James Ramsay, minister at Eymouth; Mr. Joseph Drew, minister at New Monkland *G.*

Sept. 10. Mr. Andrew Mitchell, minister at Inshkileing in Ireland, second son of the deceased Thomas M., formerly baillie of this burgh *g.*
16. Mr. Andrew Darleing, minister at Kinnowll *G.*

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Sept.	17.	John Tytler, merchant	*g.*
		Thomas Forbes in Tarbethill, at request of the dean of guild	*g.*
	18.	James Hardie, smith, eldest son of the deceased burgess	H., *t.*
		George Marr, merchant	*g.*
	20.	James Stuart, third son of Alexander S. of Colpnay, merchant, burgess	*g.*
	24.	Robert Kerr, eldest son of Alexander K. of Meanie, one of the baillies of this burgh, a pupil	*g.*
		Alexander Kerr, second son of the said Alexander K., a pupil	*g.*
		Alexander Paton, eldest son of Alexander P. of Kinnaldie, one of the baillies, a pupil	*g.*
		William Ragg, third son of Alexander R., one of the baillies, a pupil	*g.*
		Alexander Forbes, eldest son of Alexander F., one of the baillies, a pupil	*g.*
		William Forbes, second son of the deceased William F. of Invernetie	*g.*
		Patrick Forbes, skipper	*g.*
	30.	John Luke, merchant in Glasgow	*G.*
Octr.	3.	John Duncan, baillie of Dundee	*G.*
	23.	John Rankin, glover, eldest son of the deceased John R., glover, burgess	*t.*
	30.	Mr. Thomas Brown, minister at Pasley, and Mr. John Good, minister at Carnwath	*G.*
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	27.	Alexander Bannerman, maltman	*g.*
		John Munzie, maltman	*g.*
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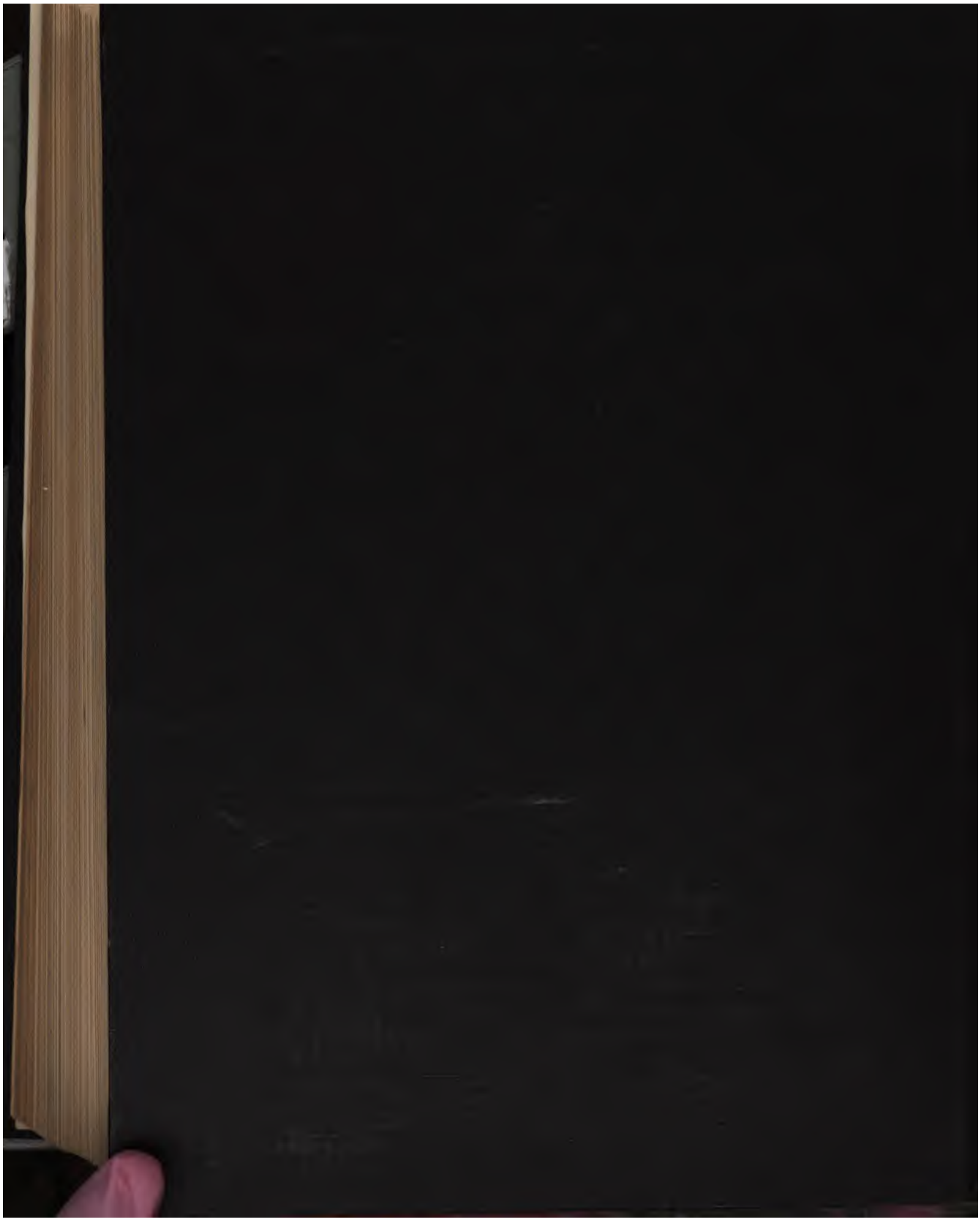
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